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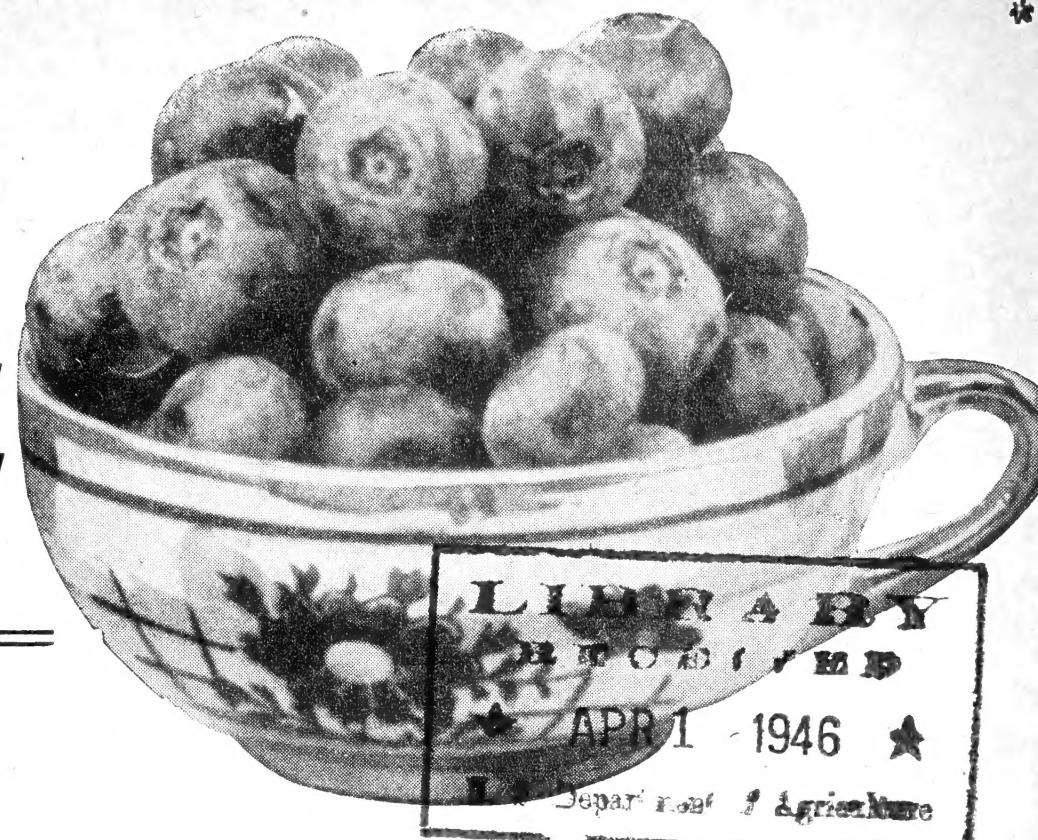
Keith Plant Nursery

BLUEBERRY and STRAWBERRY
HEADQUARTERS

Sawyer, Michigan

NOW YOU CAN GROW
BLUEBERRIES

Right in Your Garden
It's Easy With



Keith's Ready to Bear Blueberry Bushes



Showing the fruiting characteristics of the RUBEL—one of the best varieties to "start with"—for it is very hardy, will fruit where other varieties fail, and bears every year.

KEITH'S

Cultivated Blueberries

These beautiful, big, sweet berries can be grown as easily in your garden or yard as Currants, Roses, Shrubs, etc. (See page 7.)

Special Introductory Offer

KEITH'S COMPLETE READY-TO-BEAR BLUEBERRY OFFER NO. 1

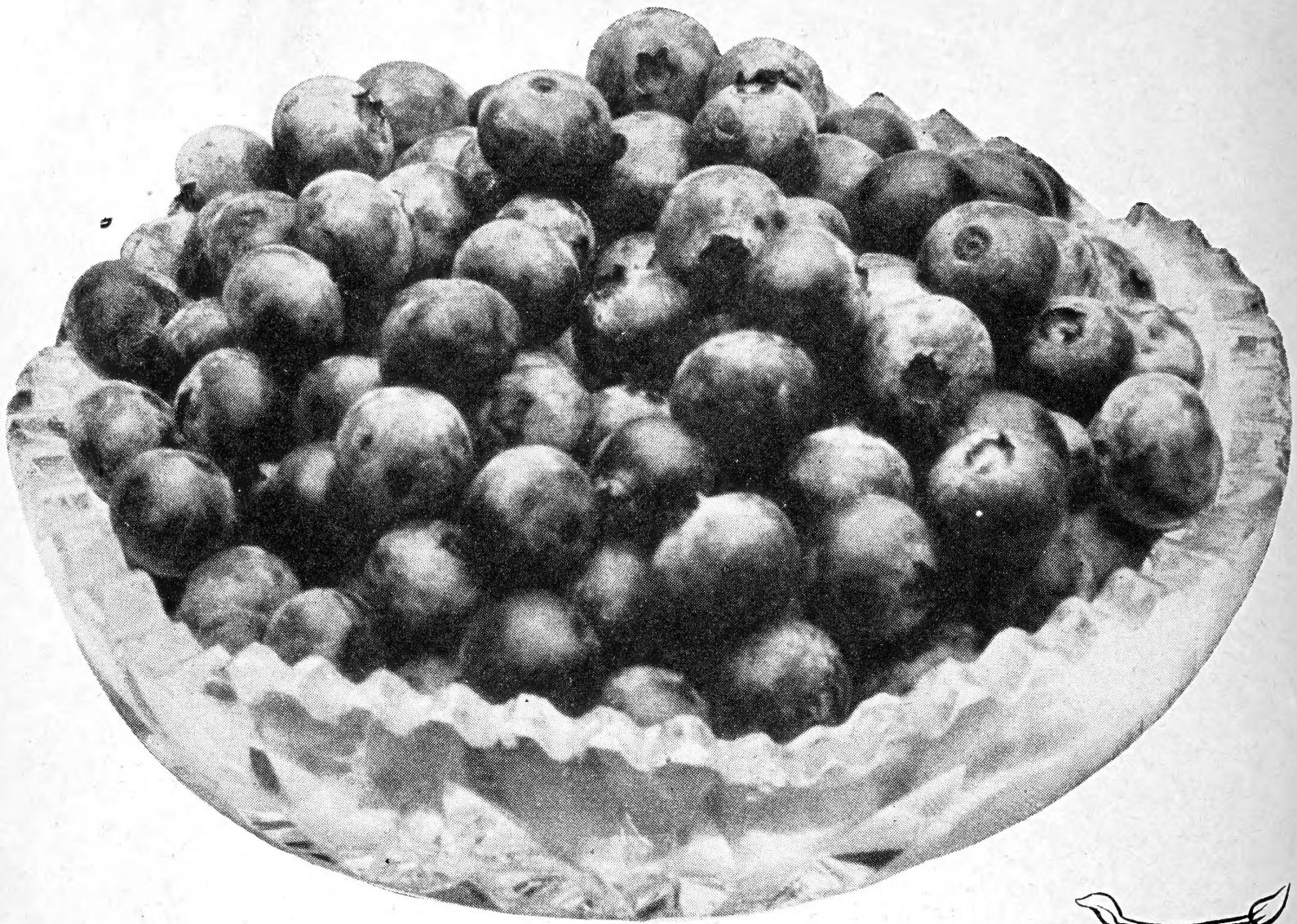
Three 4-year Ready-to-Bear Rubel Blueberry bushes with sufficient Acid Peat Humus to properly plant them. Planting instructions with each shipment.

3—4-year Ready-to-Bear No. 1 Rubel Bushes.

1—Bag Keith's Acid Peat Humus—Especially for Blueberries. Regular Price, \$9.45.

**SPECIAL INTRODUCTORY OFFER \$7.95
PRICE ONLY**





The Rubel Cultivated Blueberry

This is our "Old Reliable." Sure to bear a crop of big, delicious, sweet berries every year.

Hardy Rubel stands the most severe zero weather. We have never known it to winter-kill. Also stands hot weather and is practically disease free.

Early Rubel begins to ripen its berries, with us, right after the Fourth of July and continues until about Labor Day. Ideal for country homes. They bear while you are there.

Productive One year with another, Rubel will bear as many berries per bush as any known variety. We have picked as high as 8 pints per bush at one picking.

Price (Note: All our Blueberry bushes are sold according to AGE. A 4-year bush means it has been grown in the open field for FOUR YEARS, a 6-year bush for SIX YEARS. The 6-year, Selected Bushes are more branched (bushy) with larger root systems and taller. They are the BEST.

	4-Yr. Bushes		6-Yr. Bushes	
	No. 1	Selected	No. 1	Selected
Each	\$ 2.85	\$ 3.35	\$ 4.95	\$ 5.50
3 for	7.95	8.95	12.75	14.55
5 for	11.25	13.75	19.75	23.75
10 for	21.50	26.50	37.50	45.00
25 for	52.50	62.50	87.50	

(Write us if interested in larger quantity.)

Blueberry Offer No. 2

(See picture at top page 3.)

**Greatest Value at Least Cost
Saves You at Least Three
Years**

This complete Blueberry Offer consists of three 6-year, Ready-to-Bear Rubel Bushes with sufficient Acid Peat Humus to properly plant them. These 6-year bushes save you three to four years of waiting for larger yields. They are ready to bear their fourth crop for you. They also cost so little more than younger bushes generally offered in height today.



Acid Peat Humus sufficient to properly plant the three bushes in this offer.

**KEITH'S COMPLETE READY-TO-BEAR
RUBEL BLUEBERRY GARDEN OFFER NO. 2**
3—6-yr., Ready-to-Bear Rubel Bushes, No. 1 Grade.
1—Bag of Keith's Acid Peat Humus.

Regular Price, \$14.25.

Special Price, \$11.95

NOTE: Because of the limited supply of our 6-year bushes and the special reduction given here, we allow only one offer per customer.

This Offer is filled with our No. 1 Grade of 6-year bushes. Should you wish the larger, better branched bushes, our No. 1A, Selected Grade, the Special Price will be \$13.70. Be sure to note request on order. (See bottom pages 4 and 12.)

KEITH'S 6 Year

Ready-to-Bear RUBEL

Blueberry Bushes

Saves You Four Years
of Waiting for Berries

READY TO BEAR for you this season. Note how these 6-year bushes (at right) are loaded with fruiting buds.

TRANSPLANTED and **GROWN** in open field for 6 years. Have fruited for 3 years—ready with their fourth crop for you.

LARGE MASSIVE ROOTS. Hand dug—each bush individually—so as to insure large, massive root system—insuring growth for you.

GROWN IN OPEN ROWS. Keith's 6-year Cultivated Blueberry bushes have been grown in the open field for 6 years, where they have had plenty of room to branch and bush out into bushy, bearing plants (see picture at right) and are much better than bushes that are so often offered by height only. Keith's are offered in terms of years **GROWN IN THE OPEN FIELD.** They save you years of time in waiting for berries, for they are "Ready-to-Bear" bushes.

SAVE MONEY AND YEARS. Keith's 6-year Ready-to-Bear Blueberry bushes save you at least 3 years. They are 3 to 4 years older than bushes offered in terms of height. An 18- to 30-inch bush may not be over 2 years in field growth, with few branches. Keith's 6-year bushes have **height, branching, and age.** They are the best and most saving buy for you. They cost so little more than younger bushes.



Note the size, branching, and root systems of these 6-year, Ready-to-Bear Blueberry Bushes. And the loads of fruiting buds up and down on smaller branches.

Prices for 6-Yr. Bushes

(These prices include sufficient Keith's Acid Peat Humus to properly set each bush.)

We have 6-year bushes in only two varieties—Rubel and Jersey. The supply is quite limited, especially in the Extra Large bushes. Please order early.

	Each	3	5
Rubel No. 1 Grade	\$4.95	\$12.75	\$19.75
Rubel No. 1A Selected	5.50	14.55	23.75
Jersey No. 1 Grade	5.35	14.85	23.75
Jersey No. 1A Selected	5.85	16.80	27.00

For More Information
and Pictures of Our
6-Year Bushes See
Bottom Pages 4 and
12.

FREE—Sufficient Acid Peat Humus will be sent free with each 6-year bush to properly plant it.



Part of a block of Keith's 6-year, Ready-to-Bear Blueberry Bushes. They bore a good crop of berries last summer, and are ready to bear for you.

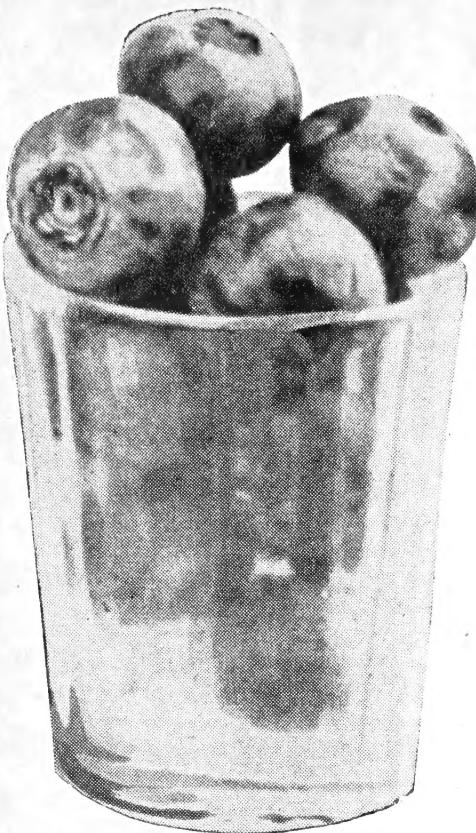
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PICKING BLUEBERRIES from a block of the 6-year bushes from which your order will be filled. No waiting around 3 or 4 years for Keith's 6-year, Ready-to-Bear Blueberry bushes to fruit for you. **THEY'RE READY** to start off the first summer.

PIONEER (Early)

Pleasing Flavor — Extra Large

Pioneer does not grow into a tall, upright bush—it's low and spreading (4 feet high, 4 feet wide). Produces large yields of blue, Plum-colored berries, many over $\frac{1}{2}$ inch across (see picture below). Bushes make fine hedge planting, or can be planted alone or in groups, and don't freeze back even at 20 degrees below zero.

We have only the 4-year bushes in Pioneer to offer this year.



Pioneer—Note Their Size. (Actual Size)

Pioneer Prices

4-Year Bushes ONLY
No. 1 Grade:

Each \$3.00
3 for 8.25

No. 1A Selected:

(See Bottom of Page.)
Each \$3.45
3 for 9.60



Pioneer—Note Their Size—Over $\frac{1}{2}$ inch across. Larger Than Cherries. Much Easier to Grow. (Actual Size.)

HARDING (Midseason)

Sweetest—Best for Freezing

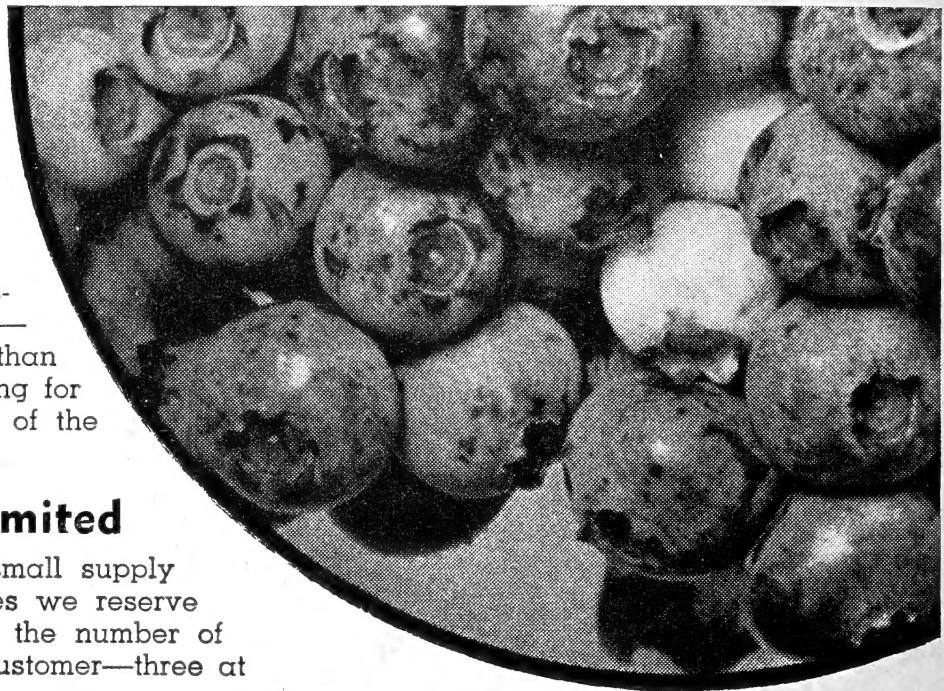
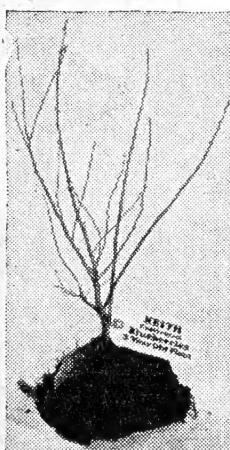
Harding has the sweetest, most mild flavor of any of the Blueberries we grow. The bushes do not grow tall, grow more like the Gooseberry, possibly 4 feet high and about as wide—just a little smaller in its growth than the Pioneer. Needs very little pruning for it makes an open-top growth. One of the best for garden or home use.

Supply Limited

Because of the small supply of Harding bushes we reserve the right to limit the number of bushes to each customer—three at the most.

Harding Best for Freezing

Because of their sweet, mild, lasting flavor, Harding is tops for home uses. We also find them fine for freezing. This is the variety we always place in our locker for winter use. See PIE and MUFFIN recipes Mrs. Keith has for you on page 5.



Harding Prices

4-Year Bushes Only
No. 1 Grade:

Each \$3.15
3 for 9.00

No. 1A Selected:
(See below.)

Each \$ 3.65
3 for 10.50

Extra Peat Humus

For lasting results and for better bush growth we suggest your getting an extra bag of Keith's Acid Peat Humus to be used in planting along with that we send with the bushes when ordered in the "Ready-to-Bear Blueberry Gardens." The holes can be dug a little wider and thereby afford a larger prepared soil for the roots to expand and grow into. If you order an extra bag along with the "Ready-to-Bear Blueberry Gardens" a special price of \$1.25 per bag will be allowed.

No. 1A Selected Bushes

This is our best grade of Blueberry bushes. Because of having more room to spread out in the nursery row, they are well branched, have more fruiting buds and branches, larger root systems than the No. 1 grade. They are SELECTED BUSHES.

Acquainting You With Keith's Cultivated Blueberries

Larger Than Wild Blueberries

Keith's Cultivated Blueberries are at least five times larger than the wild Blueberry or "Huckleberry." Note the size of the berries on page 4 (three berries cover 2 inches) and on front cover. Just a few berries fill a small teacup. Berries on these pages are natural size.

Can Be Grown Anywhere

We used to think Blueberries could ONLY be grown in marshes. We were wrong, for NOW, with Keith's Cultivated Blueberry bushes, they can be easily grown anywhere about your home place—in the garden, along your walks or drives, on your lawn—anywhere Roses, Shrubs, etc., are grown. (See page 7.)

Bear for 4 to 5 Weeks

All the berries on Keith's Cultivated Blueberry bushes DO NOT RIPEN at one time—they ripen continuously for 4 to 5 weeks. One cluster begins here, another there, all over the bush, and thus you can pick those big, ripe, tasty berries for weeks.

Ideal for Your Summer Home

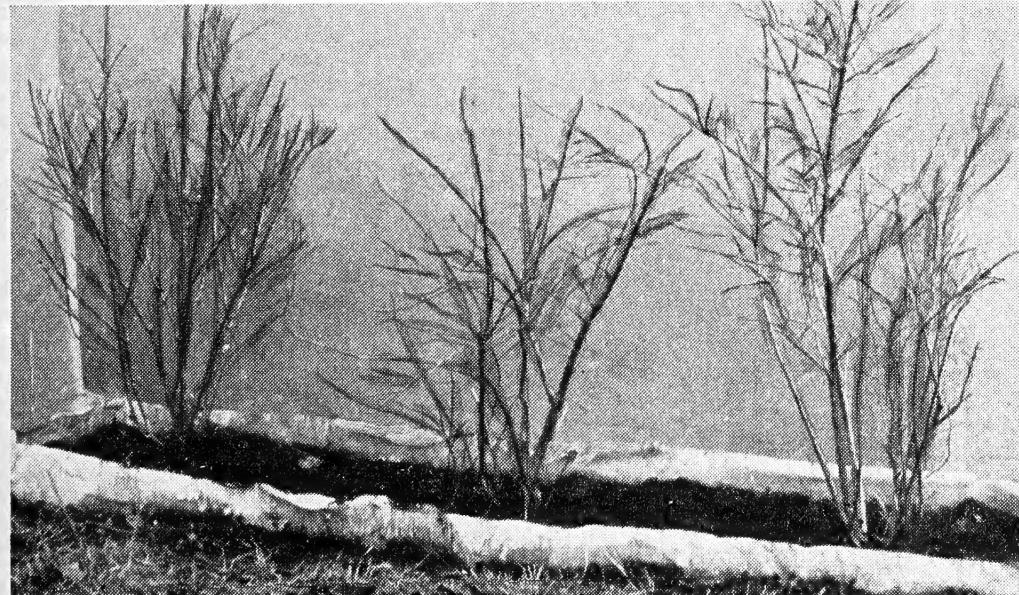
Keith's Cultivated Blueberries are ideal for your summer home for they ripen their berries at the time you are out there—July, August into September. And the bushes require so little care, and most of this can be done during the time you are there.

Light Blueberry Muffins

1/4 cup butter or vegetable shortening, 1/3 cup sugar, 1 egg, 2 2/3 cups flour, 4 teaspoonfuls baking powder, 1/2 teaspoonful salt, 1 cup milk, 1 cup berries. Cream butter and sugar. Add beaten egg, sift dry ingredients and add alternately with milk. Reserve little of flour to mix with berries before adding to batter. Bake in hot oven, 375 degrees. Blueberries can be added to any favorite muffin receipt.



Two favorite dishes for Blueberries. Mrs. Keith made these from frozen Blueberries (see package in back) just before Christmas. Oh boy! Weren't they good!



Three Cultivated Blueberries growing in a galvanized trough 24 by 24 inches by 8 feet long, filled with prepared soil (see page 7). Planted two years. 5-year bushes used. Note height and spread, 4 to 6 feet tall. Lots of berries.

One Planting Lasts For Years

Set Keith's Cultivated Blueberry Bushes and you are through planting for years. No replacing the bushes every year or so as you would Raspberries, etc. Bushes grow and produce almost a lifetime. Need very little care—just an occasional thinning out and cutting back of the older canes, and mulching about the base to keep the soil moist.

Very Profitable to Grow

The berries from Keith's Cultivated Blueberries are so large and attractive they readily sell for 35c to 45c per pint, and when the mature bushes (sometimes done by 9-yr. bushes) produce from 15,000 to 20,000 pints per acre, there is big money in growing them—\$4,000 and up per acre.

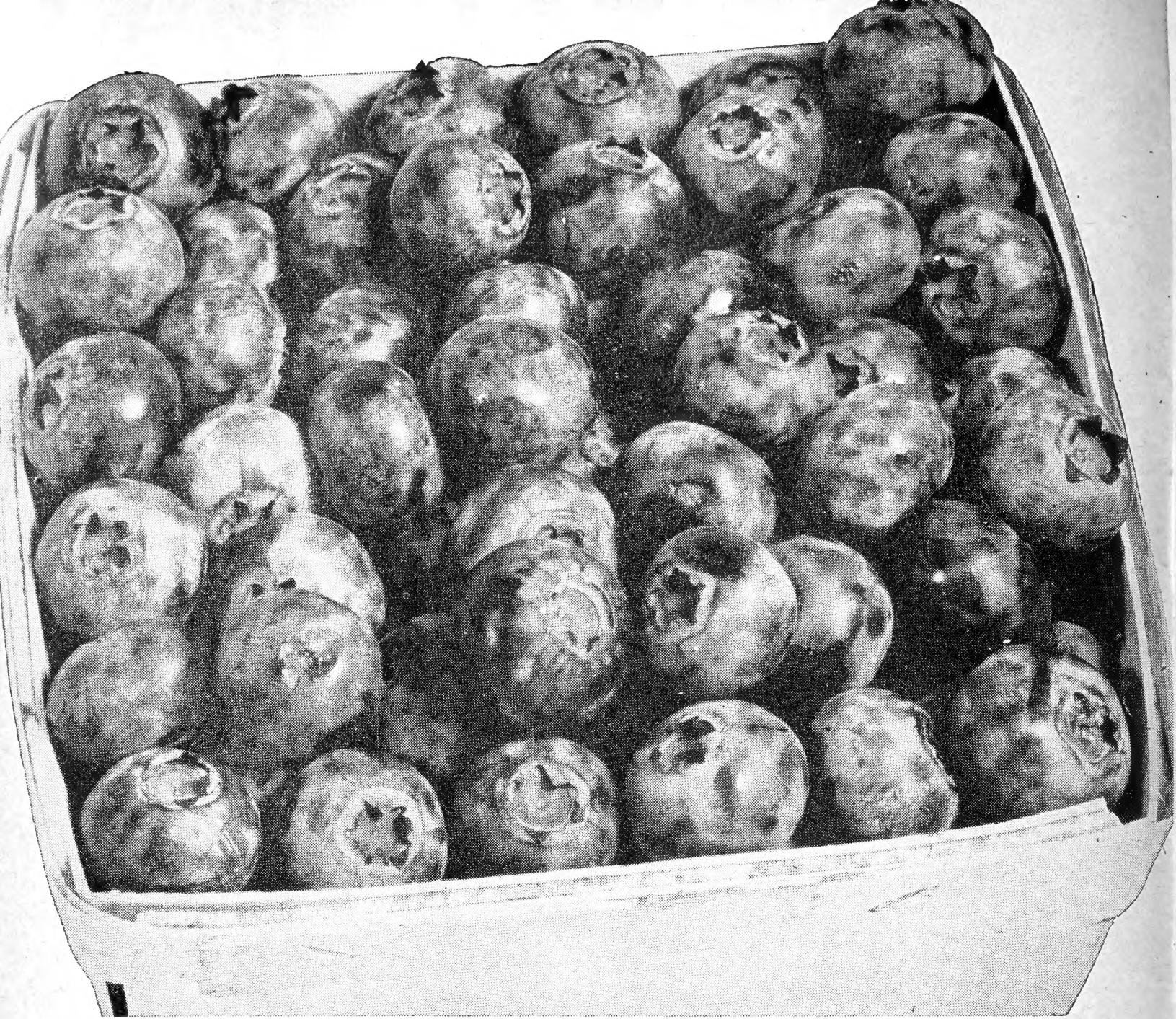
Fine for Home Uses

You'll be delighted by the mild sweet flavor of the Cultivated Blueberries. They are so sweet that many housewives find it unnecessary to use much sugar in serving them fresh or cooked. They are unsurpassed for making pies or muffins, and they "turn out" grand in freezing. We have been placing them in our locker at the freezing plant for over three years, and each time they "turn out" just fine—as tasty, firm, juicy and fresh as the day we put them in.

Blueberry Pie

(Pastry for one double pie.)

1 cup flour, 1/4 teaspoonful salt, 1/4 teaspoonful baking powder, 1/3 cup shortening, 4 teaspoonfuls water. Divide into 2 parts—one top, one bottom crust. Berry filling: 1 pt. berries, 1 cup granulated sugar (or 1c honey), 2 heaping tablespoonfuls flour, pinch salt. Mix well and fill in unbaked pie shell. Dot with butter, cover with top crust. Brush top crust with sweet milk or cream, sprinkle lightly with granulated sugar. Bake 15 minutes at 500 and 30 minutes at 375, or till well browned. A teaspoonful of lemon juice or vinegar may be added if a tarter pie is desired.



JERSEY (Late) Berries Very Large - Sweet - Beautiful - Attractive

JERSEY is a large, attractive, improved Blueberry that is becoming very popular because of its extra large berries, many of them over $\frac{3}{4}$ inch across. It ripens its large berries a little later than the Rubel. We recommend Jersey very highly.

BUSHES fast growing, semi-upright, 5 to 6 ft. high. Makes a very attractive bush for lawn planting, at the same time very suitable for group planting or in rows in the garden. Should be set at least 5 feet apart in bed plantings.

BERRIES extra large, mild, sweet flavor, that is retained after cooking. One of the best Blueberries for fresh desserts. Excellent for shipping. Berries hang to the bushes for days before dropping—a good characteristic.

Jersey Prices

4-Yr. Bushes		6-Yr. Bushes	
No. 1	No. 1A	No. 1	No. 1A
Grade	Grade	Grade	Grade
Each	\$ 3.90	\$ 4.50	\$ 5.35
3	9.85	11.85	14.25
5	14.95	19.25	23.75
			27.00

BLUEBERRY OFFER No. 3

**Big Bearing Bushes—Save Money
and Time**

This Complete Blueberry Offer consists of three 6-year Ready-to-Bear Jersey Bushes with sufficient Keith's Acid Peat Humus to properly plant them, and you have your choice of the No. 1 or the No. 1 Selected Grade Bushes.

**Keith's Complete Ready-to-Bear
Jersey Blueberry Garden
OFFER No. 3**

**3 6-Yr. No. 1 Ready-to-Bear
Bushes.**

**1 Bag Keith's Acid Peat Humus.
Regular Price, \$16.35.**



Special Price \$14~~25~~

This Offer is filled with No. 1 Grade 6-yr. bushes. If you wish the Selected Grade, the Special Price will be \$16.00.

Now You Can Grow Plenty of Blueberries

In Your Garden, On Your Lawn, Along Your Walks or Drive, and Have Them for Years for Your Table Use, Pies, Muffins, Etc.

EASY TO GROW

We used to think Blueberries could be grown only in low marshes. NOT SO NOW. Now they can be successfully grown, with very little soil preparation, anywhere about your yard, in your garden, or in cultivated fields. They can be as easily grown as Roses or any ordinary shrub and in the same places. Those who have planted Keith's Cultivated Blueberry bushes now have plenty berries. It's easy to have them.

WILL GROW ANYWHERE

Garden — Lawn — Along Walks

You Can Easily Grow Keith's Cultivated Blueberries—

- at one end of the garden
- on your lawn like shrubs
- along your walks or drive
- as a hedge planting

They will grow anywhere with little extra care.

It's no trick at all nowadays to grow and have plenty of big, sweet Blueberries. No need trudging through wet boggy marshes any more. Set Keith's Ready-to-Bear Blueberry bushes and grow your own Blueberries.

HOW TO PLANT AND GROW KEITH'S CULTIVATED BLUEBERRIES

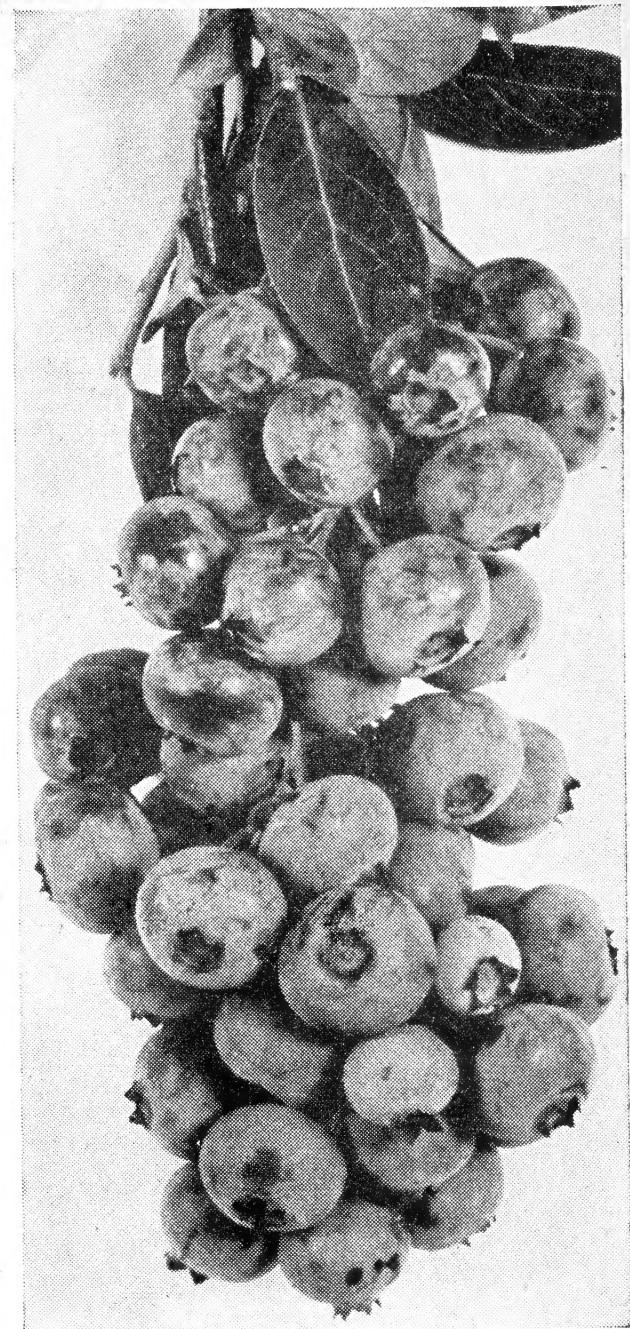
Keith's Cultivated Blueberries are as easily grown as Roses or shrubs. All you have to do is to see that the soil is moist, loose, and acid. To accomplish these, we suggest the following: Dig a hole 18 inches across (larger for the larger bushes) and 16 inches deep, and fill half full with a mixture of one part your soil and two parts **acid** peat, leaf mold, marsh soil, or BETTER YET, Keith's Acid Peat Humus (see below) which we guarantee for our Cultivated Blueberries. Pack this mixture in the bottom half of the hole quite firm, then set the bush in on about 3 inches of the loose mixture and fill in around the roots and on top of them with the mixture until the hole is full. Pack down very firm, then water thoroughly until the whole mixture of soil from the bottom of the hole to the top is thoroughly soaked with water, rain water preferred. DON'T USE WATER WITH LIME IN IT. It will sweeten the soil. The soil must be kept acid, and don't let it become dry, and you can grow lots of Blueberries. COMPLETE PLANTING INSTRUCTIONS AND CARE COME WITH EACH SHIPMENT.

FIELD CULTURE

Select a fertile acid soil, such as you would find in a drained Blueberry (Huckleberry) marsh. It must have ample water. Wild Blueberries (Huckleberries), white cedar, leatherleaf, red maple, all indicate a suitable soil. No matter where located, the soil must be acid (4.5 pH) and moist. Low meadow lands are often suitable. Set plants 5x8 feet (about 1000 per acre). Write us for further information. We will be glad to help you.

TO HAVE A PERMANENT BLUEBERRY GARDEN

To have a Blueberry garden with marshy conditions, we suggest the following: Dig a hole 10 feet long, 6 feet wide and 4 feet deep, and fill it with the excavated soil mixed with Keith's Acid Peat Humus (1 part soil, 2 parts Humus) or soil from a Huckleberry marsh. In this bed set six Cultivated Blueberry bushes. To have berries sooner, use the older bushes. To hold water and keep tree roots and soil water out, cement the bottom and sides to within 1 foot of the top. To water the bed, set six 4-inch tile flush with top of surface and pour rain water into them to keep soil always moist. Mulch the surface with leaf mold, Keith's Acid Peat Humus.



A fruiting cluster (Rubel, see pages 2 and 3). The berries ripen over a period of 3 to 5 weeks, much longer than Raspberries, etc.

GROW BLUEBERRIES IN HALF BARREL

Take a half barrel, or large tub, and sink it in the soil even with the surface of ground. Fill two-thirds full with a mixture of one part rich loam soil and two parts Keith's Acid Peat Humus, pack firm, set bush in middle, and fill with mixture packed well. Keep the soil always moist with rain water.

KEITH'S ACID PEAT HUMUS

Ideal for Blueberry Growing

This Acid Peat Humus has the right acidity and contains the necessary organic matter and humus ideal for the successful growing of the Cultivated Blueberry. In it they will grow and produce their big, beautiful berries. We recommend it for this purpose. It should be mixed 2 to 1 (in volume) with ordinary soil. The more acid and the more humus in your soil the less Keith's Acid Peat Humus necessary. It is also very beneficial in building a lawn, enriching your garden soil, and the soil around shrubs, roses, etc., and the growing of Strawberries. It's a soil builder and makes plants grow. **Price: 1 1/2-bu. bag, \$1.50; 4 or more bags at \$1.35 per bag.** Sent by express unless otherwise instructed. No discount, not prepaid.



A Victory Strawberry Garden Pays Big Dividends

Fresh, Sweet, Juicy, Red Strawberries Every Day for Your Table, and Lots of Them

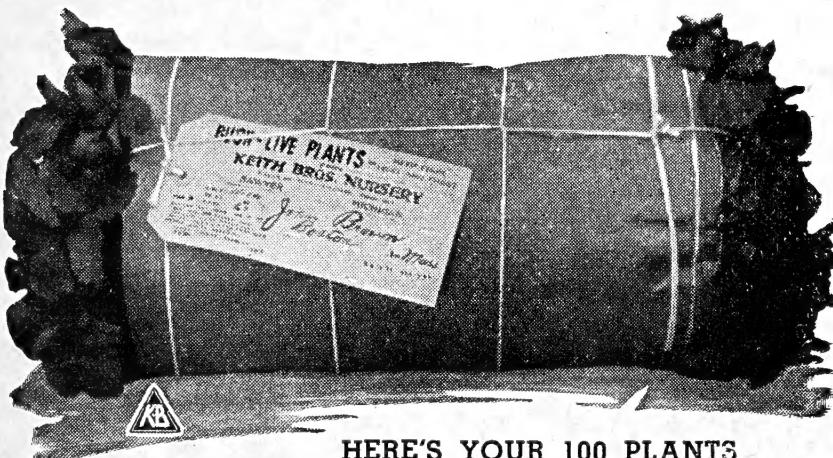
WHY pay 35c to 50c a quart for your Strawberries when you can easily grow all you want right in your own back yard or garden? You have no idea how little time, space and cost it will take to have all the sweet, ripe, luscious berries you want. Just think, the berries will cost less than 1c per quart. See Victory Strawberry Garden offered below.

What 100 Plants Will Do

100 of Keith's Strawberry plants will set one bed (4 rows) 25 feet long from which you can pick all the fresh Strawberries you can possibly use. This is what 100 Keith's Strawberry plants will give you—100 or more quarts of fresh, sweet berries. And how little time, space and money it will take. Plan right now for a Keith Strawberry Bed.

Keith's New Way

Grow Four Times More Strawberries—Saves Space—Saves Time



HERE'S YOUR 100 PLANTS

These 100 plants are all ready for your garden, a 25-foot strawberry bed, a possible 100 quarts of sweet, luscious berries. All for \$3.85. (See offer below.)

A New and Better Way to Grow More and Better Berries. Large areas are NOT needed. Grow four times more berries from same size plot. **Why use more space?** Keith's New Way of growing Strawberries requires only one-third the space required by old way and you can harvest four times the berries. Space three parallel rows one foot apart and set the plants one foot apart in each row. If you wish a wider bed (4 ft.) set four rows. We suggest this width. Then bed 25 feet long will take just 100 plants, 25 to the row. The bed will be 4 feet wide and 25 feet long.

Allow young runner plants to take root in between mother plants (the plants you set) so all plants, young and old, will be spaced 6 inches apart. Keep all runners thereafter cut off. Mulch between plants with straw, lawn clippings, etc. Mulch keeps down weeds and holds moisture.

Here's One of Keith's New-Way Gardens for You

This Victory Strawberry Garden will sure meet your family berry needs. It consists of 100 plants in three leading varieties (see offer at left). Will take a plot of ground only 25 feet long by 4 feet wide. Plants are set 12 inches apart in 4 rows spaced 12 inches apart, 25 plants per row. Surround the bed with 4-inch boards set on edge to make a frame to hold mulch of straw, etc. Saves moisture, keeps down weeds, improves appearance.

This New Way can be followed out on larger scale by making the bed longer or by making more beds with a path one foot wide in between each.

KEITH'S VICTORY STRAWBERRY GARDEN	
(Read the above description)	
25 Dunlap	\$1.00
25 Blakemore	.85
25 Catskill	1.25
25 Robinson	1.35
100 Plants	\$4.45

SPECIAL
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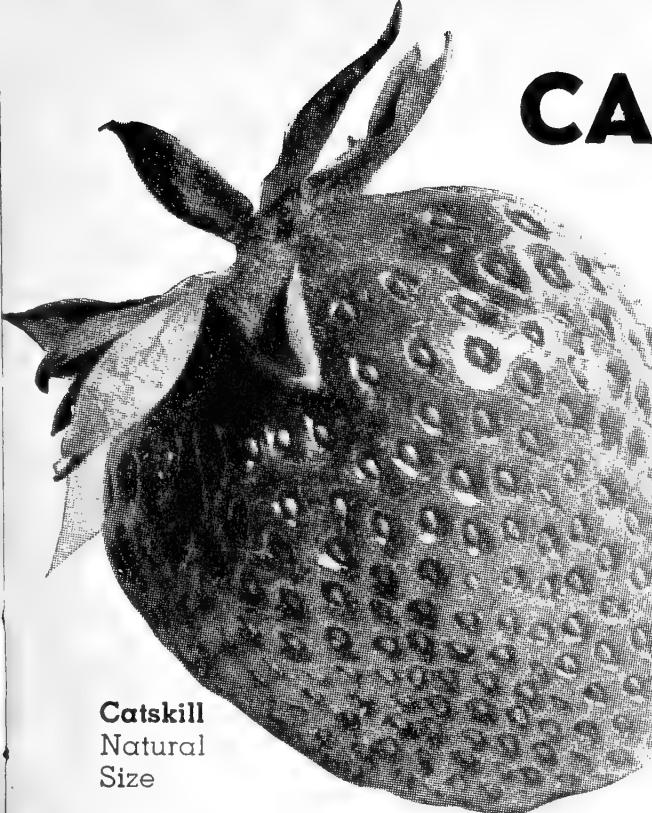
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see page 22

One of Keith's Popular Strawberry Beds. This strawberry bed requires only 100 plants and a small space 4 feet wide and 25 feet long. Bears enough for average family.



CATSKILL (LATE)

Big Crops of Big Berries



Catskill
Natural
Size

Here are a few of the characteristics which make Catskill famous:

1. Berries very large, firm, attractive.
2. Bring highest prices on markets.
3. Very productive, outyield others.
4. Plants free from disease (leaf-spot).
5. Vigorous grower.
6. Does well in any garden or field soil.

New York Expt. Station Says:

"Catskill is notable for being very large and very productive. Plants are vigorous and free from leaf spot. Ripens later than Premier and is of better quality as well as being larger. Much more productive than Dorsett and Fairfax."

This new variety, although not extensively grown at present, is being grabbed up in those localities where it has been grown, faster than the plants can be produced. It originated at the New York State Experiment Station from a cross between Premier and Marshall, and since its introduction, it has certainly made good. It is adapted to a large range of soil and climate like the Premier and in many tests has outyielded that variety with larger berries that hold their size throughout the fruiting season. Catskill will not disappoint you.

YIELDS 16,800 QUARTS PER ACRE

Catskill is becoming the leading late berry in most berry sections. It is very productive, with large berries that hold their size to the end of the season—they don't "run small." In our test plots it has yielded over 16,800 quarts per acre. The berries begin to ripen shortly after the Premier, and continue until the end of the spring berry season. The only berry later than the Catskill listed by us is the Ambrosia.

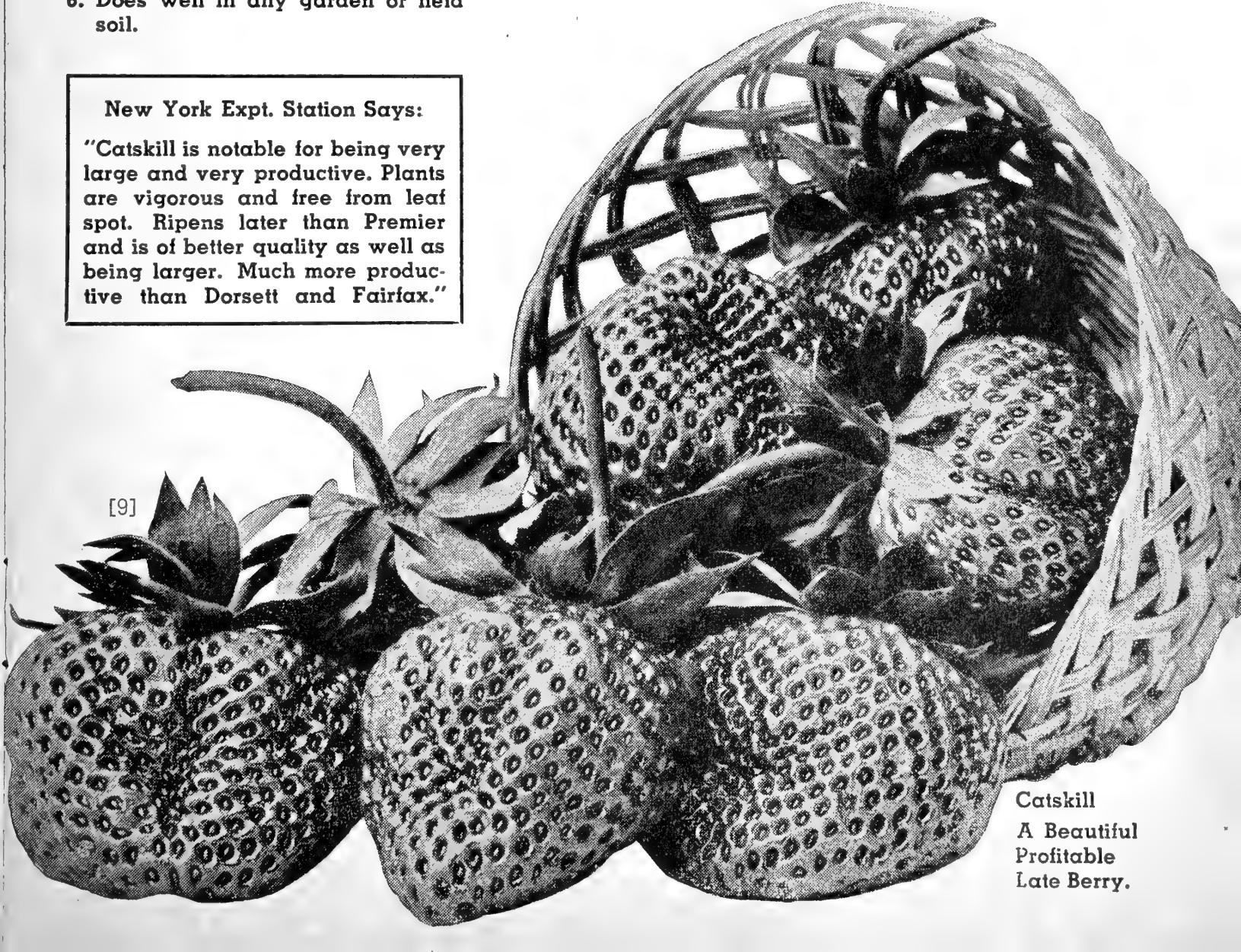
Catskill Berry

Catskill berries are large to very large, attractive glossy red, medium sweet, and good flavor. If you haven't seen or grown the Catskill you have a big surprise coming.

PRICES ON KEITH'S VITALIZED CATSKILL:

Keith's Vitalized Catskill Plants are Guaranteed to be True-to-Name, Disease Free, Freshly Dug, and Packed to reach you in a fine, fresh, growing condition.

25 plants for \$1.25; 50 for \$2.00; 100 for \$3.50; 200 for \$6.00; 300 for \$8.50; 500 for \$10.00; 1000 for \$17.00.





Keith's New Paymaster

Chosen as Best from
3000 New Seedlings

A New Leader in Spring Strawberries—Early

Took Several Years

Several years ago we started out to develop a Strawberry that would be as good as the Premier in yield, but with a hardier plant, more runners, and a berry that would not go to pieces when cooked.

Its Parents—Premier and Gem

After crossing different varieties without getting what we were after, we crossed the Gem everbearer on the Premier. There were over 3000 seedlings that grew from this cross, and from the start there was one that was outstanding. We selected this from the others and grew it in a fruiting row and found that it was just the Strawberry that we were after. It's our Paymaster.

Compared With Premier

For the past five years we have grown Paymaster in fruiting rows right alongside of the Premier and we have found it to be:

1. As productive as Premier and in some cases more so.
2. More productive of runner plants, thus always developing a good wide fruiting row.
3. More adaptable to different soils.
4. Has a better, richer Strawberry flavor.
5. Plants more disease-free. More resistant to the yellows, leaf spot, and red steel disease.

6. Berries a more rich red clear through.
7. Berries do not "cook up" like the Premier, but hold their shape, size and color. **They make beautiful delicious preserves.**
8. A better all 'round berry than the Premier with as large yields of better berries.
9. Better for table use, preserves, canning, etc.
10. A better Strawberry than the Premier for gardens, for it grows better under all conditions.

Prices

Although Paymaster is a new, outstanding variety, we are selling at reduced prices this year. 25 plants, \$1.50; 50 for \$2.45; 100 for \$3.85; 200 for \$6.00; 300 for \$8.00; 500 for \$11.00; 1000 for \$21.00.

The New Paymaster Has

1. **Larger Yields:** From the very start when in the seedling bed Paymaster showed large yields.
2. **Berries Firm:** Paymaster berries are solid and firm. Holds up in hauling, in canning or freezing.
3. **Canning, Preserving:** Berries are so firm that their shape and size hold up in cooking. They also hold their color and flavor. This cannot be said of many popular varieties.
4. **Sweetness:** Berries are not acid. Just a good mild Strawberry flavor that isn't affected by cooking, etc.

PREMIER

Our Earliest Berry

Productive, Moneymaker

BERRIES 28 DAYS FROM BLOSSOMS

Set Keith's Premier plants and you will be on the early market 8 to 10 days ahead of your neighbors. Early berries bring big prices, you know. It takes only about 28 days after Premier plants blossom until you begin to pick ripe berries.

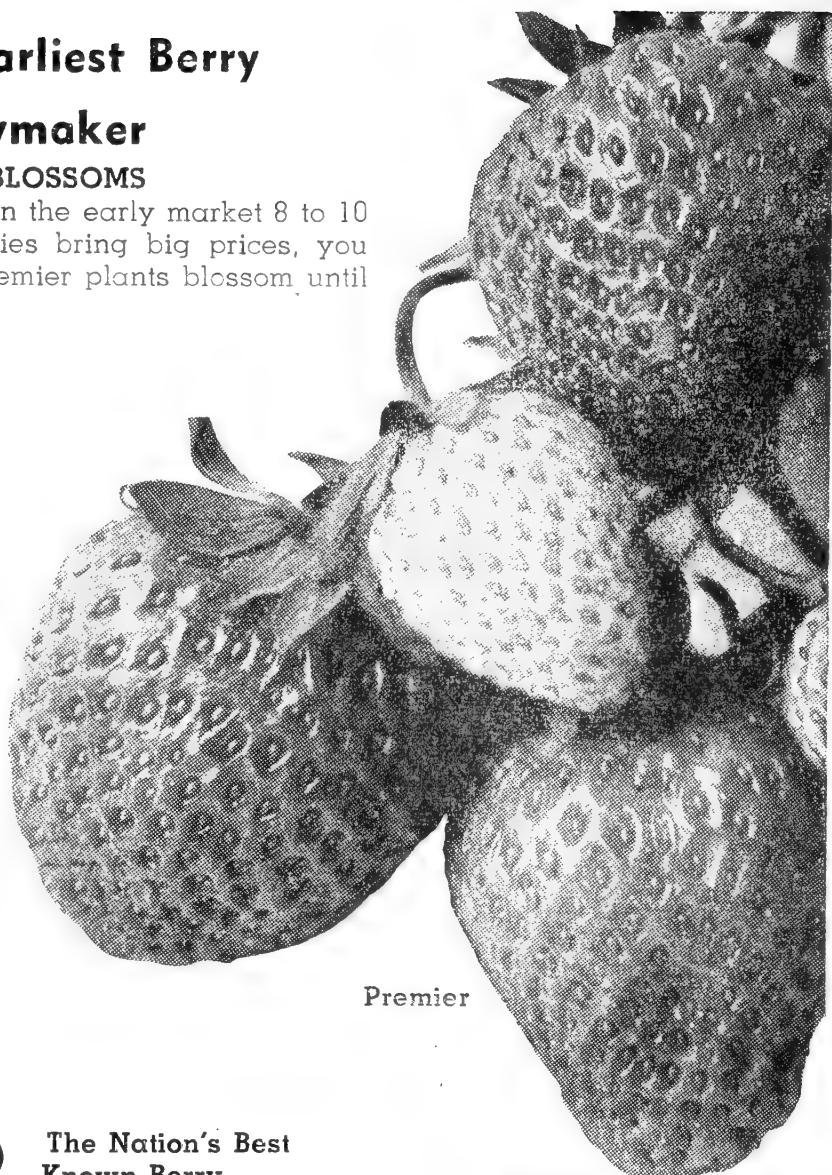
PRODUCES LARGE YIELDS

Keith Premier plants often yield over 2 quarts of attractive berries for each plant set. Think of picking 18,000 to 24,000 quarts per acre. This can be done on one acre of average Strawberry soil when set with Keith's Vigorous Productive Premier.

What You Can Do With 100 Keith's PREMIER PLANTS

1. Pick 150 to 300 quarts of rich, juicy, ripe berries.
2. Set one row at least 150 feet long, 2 rows 75 feet.
3. Have enough berries for your family, some to can.
4. Will supply you berries at less than 2c per quart.

PRICES: 25 plants, \$1.25; 50 for \$1.85; 100 for \$3.25; 200 for \$5.75; 300 for \$8.25; 500 for \$9.75; 1000 for \$16.50.



Premier

DUNLAP (Early)

The Nation's Best Known Berry

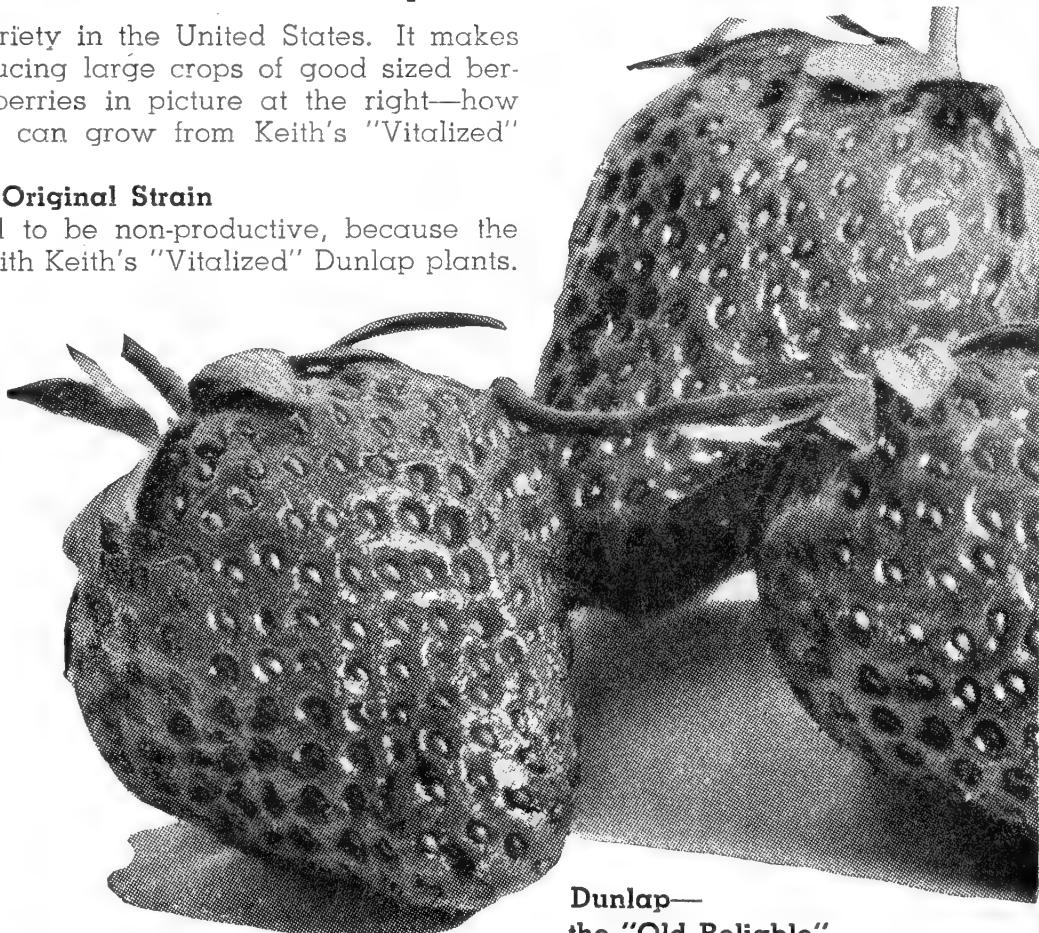
Dunlap is the best known variety in the United States. It makes good wherever planted, producing large crops of good sized berries. Look at these Dunlap berries in picture at the right—how even they run, the kind you can grow from Keith's "Vitalized" Dunlap plants.

Like the Original Strain

Some Dunlap plants are said to be non-productive, because the variety is "run out." Not so with Keith's "Vitalized" Dunlap plants. You will find all the original productiveness of the original strain in Keith plants. They bear those enormous crops the variety used to bear. Big delicious berries and lots of them. Set Keith's "Vitalized" Dunlap plants for highest yields.

Why Set Keith's Dunlap?

- 1—DOES well in any garden soil, reliable for beginners—the everybody's berry everywhere.
- 2—PERFECTLY HARDY in northern and western states. Grows well in heavy soils.
- 3—YIELDS large crops of uniform berries.
- 4—MAKES a good wide picking row of healthy, productive plants.
- 5—BERRIES firm, sweet, dark red, ideal for home uses or market. Fine for table use or for canning.
- 6—PLANTS not so subject to the common Strawberry diseases.



Dunlap—
the "Old Reliable"

Dunlap Prices

25 plants, \$1.00; 50 for \$1.50; 100 for \$2.85; 200 for \$4.50; 300 for \$5.50; 500 for \$7.00; 1000 for \$12.00.



Keith's Cultivated Blueberries

Greatest Development in Fruits in Years

The Cultivated Blueberry is the result of years of careful selection by our different Experimental Stations. They are superior to the wild sorts which grow wild in marshes. The berries are many times larger, sweeter and more attractive. The bushes grow 5 to 6 feet tall and are more productive, and can now be grown in your yard or garden as easily as Roses, shrubs, or Currants. (See pages 5 and 7.)

NOW YOU CAN GROW YOUR OWN BLUEBERRIES

1. In your garden.
2. Along your walks or drive.
3. Next to the garage.
4. In any place you can grow Roses, Shrubs, etc.

All you have to have is (1) an acid soil; (2) moist soil; (3) liberal amount of humus in the soil. The kind of soil does not make much difference as long as you have these three conditions. When the soil is not acid enough (should be 4.0 to 5.1 pH) it can be made so by adding Keith's Acid Peat Humus. This will also correct any humus deficiencies. (Read page 7.)

KEITH'S BLUEBERRY OFFER No. 1

(See also Front Cover.)

Ready-to-Bear Blueberry Garden
4-year, field-grown Rubel bushes, ready to fruit for you. Complete planting instructions FREE.

3 4-Year, Ready-to-Bear Rubel Bushes.

1 Bag Keith's Acid Peat Humus.
Regular Price, \$9.45.

SPECIAL \$7.95
INTRODUCTORY PRICE, ONLY

(NOTE: Bushes and Humus come all in one bag. Sent by Express.)



Picking Keith's Cultivated Blueberries. These bushes are 8 years old and many of them yield as high as 18 pints of beautiful, big berries, and these bushes are not full grown yet.

KEITH'S CULTIVATED BLUEBERRY OFFER No. 4

Gets you berries three years sooner. See page 5 for picture of this offer. Complete planting instructions come free. Look for it in package. Six-year bushes described on page 3.

3 6-Year, Ready-to-Bear Bushes in Different Varieties.

1 Bag Keith's Acid Peat Humus.
Regular Price, \$14.25.

SPECIAL \$12.85
INTRODUCTORY PRICE, ONLY

(NOTE: Bushes and Humus come in same bag
Sent by Express.)

One Planting Lasts for Years

Set Keith's Cultivated Blueberry bushes and you are through for years. Bushes grow and produce almost a lifetime. Need little care, just occasional thinning out and heading back of old canes and branches.

Bear During July-Aug.-Sept.

Keith's Cultivated Blueberries begin to fruit in July and keep it up until September. Ideal for those who have summer homes. See page 5.

KEITH'S No. 1A Selected Blueberry Bushes

To have the very best Blueberry bushes, those that are more branched, larger growths, more fruit buds, and larger root systems, order Keith's No. 1A Selected Grade. You'll save time and money. These larger growths, etc., are due to the fact that these bushes grew in the more open places in our nursery rows and thus had plenty of room to branch out. They are the best bushes obtainable—they are selected and cost so little more.

Here's a Sample of Keith's 6-Yr. No. 1A Selected Blueberry Bushes—Over 3 Ft. Tall





World's Famous Everbearer—KEITH'S SUPER



Picking Super-Mastodon in September

Keith's Super-Mastodon plants are heavy producers, bear from midsummer until freezing weather. Set in spring, begin picking in July.

Make Quick Money With Keith's Super-Mastodon Plants

Give Keith's Super-Mastodon plants all they want to "eat and drink" and they certainly will bear a lot of berries for you. They begin to bring you in money in 60 to 90 days after you set them out and bring top-notch prices. Here's what they can do for you:

\$60 from a bed 33x35—M. Marshall (Mich.)
350 quarts from 300 plants—P. R. Amber (Calif.)
\$213 from 1/10 acre—J. Barlow (Mich.)
\$380 from 1/4 acre—Mr. Parrish (Mich.)
300 plants supply family of 8—M. Kurtz (Ohio)
576 quarts per acre per day (\$216)—Keith's record.
\$20 from small bed (200 plants)—W. Jones (Pa.)

MASTODON

8 REASONS WHY

Keith's Super-Mastodon Plants Win
You Can't Beat Them

1. Brings you cash 60 to 90 days after planting.
2. Bears well in garden or field culture.
3. Grows and bears big crops in garden soil.
4. Berries largest of any known Everbearer.
5. Bears three crops instead of one—fall, next spring and fall.
6. Berries sweet, highly flavored, not soft.
7. Produces big, sweet berries from July to November.
8. Bears well next spring at usual Strawberry time.

Prices

25 for	\$1.95	300 for	\$10.00
50 for	3.00	500 for	18.50
100 for	5.85	1000 for	32.00



The Giant Robinson

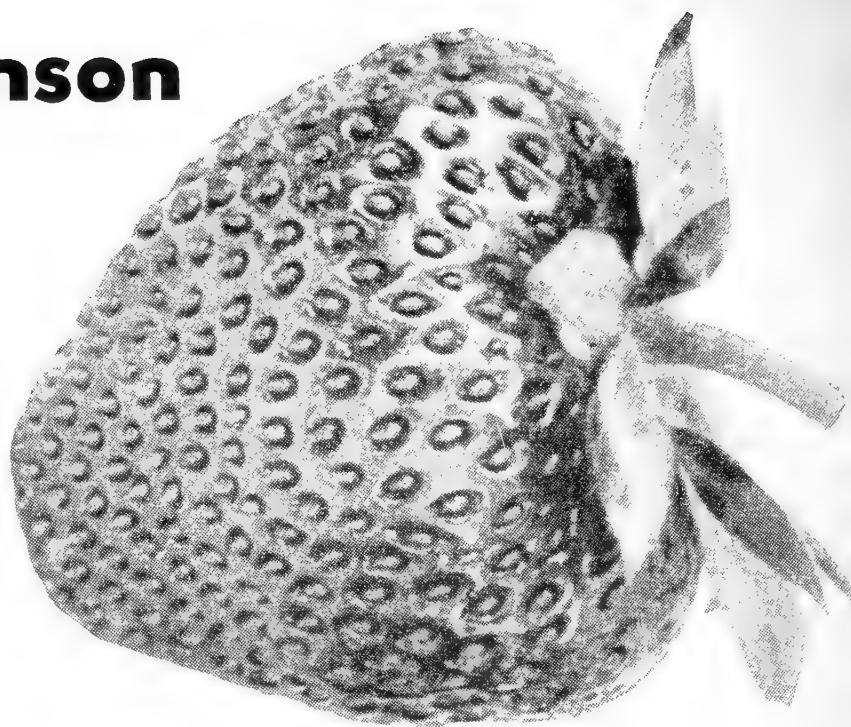
A New Spring Bearing Variety

BERRIES—

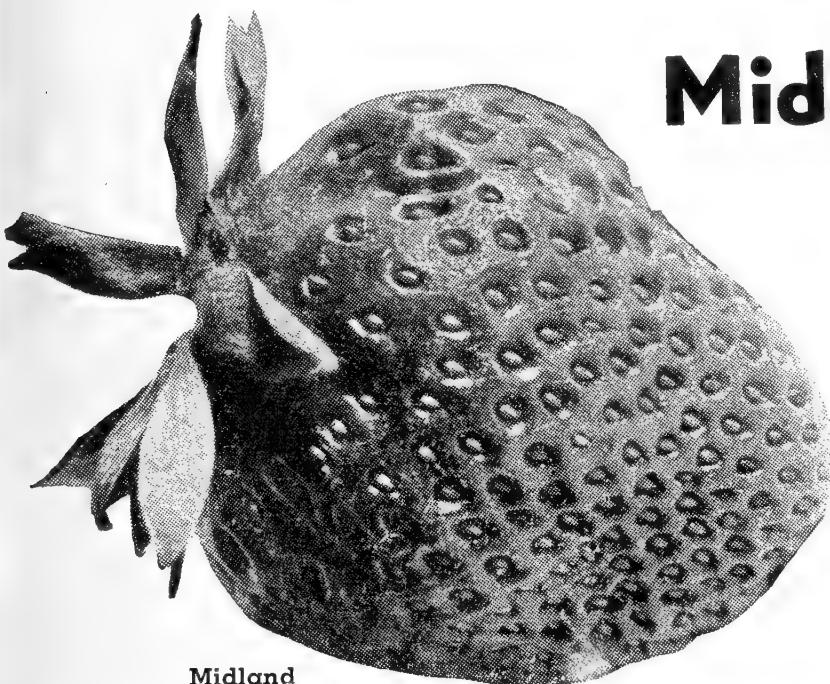
- 1—Large, sweet, productive
- 2—Bright, attractive red
- 3—Firm, even texture, midseason
- 4—Uniform in size and color

Although recently introduced, this attractive new berry has proved itself to be a more valuable berry than the Premier because it is more productive, berries average larger, sweeter and ever so much better for preserves, canning, etc. Out sells all other Strawberries on the Benton Harbor market. We know you will be more than pleased and surprised with this new berry. The best Strawberry growers are planting it for their money maker.

PRICE: 25 plants, \$1.35; 50 for \$2.10; 100 for \$3.75; 200 for \$6.00; 300 for \$8.50; 500 for \$10.50; 1000 for \$18.00.



Robinson



Midland

Midland (Midseason) New

We have fruited this new Strawberry for three years and find it to be a very worthy one. It's productive, plants very large, thrifty growers. The berries are very firm, above average to large, dark red, always well formed, well flavored.

We find Midland one of the best, if not the best for freezing—it keeps its shape, firmness, color and flavor.

Prices

25 plants	.....	\$2.00
50 plants	.....	3.00
100 plants	.....	5.00
200 plants	.....	9.00



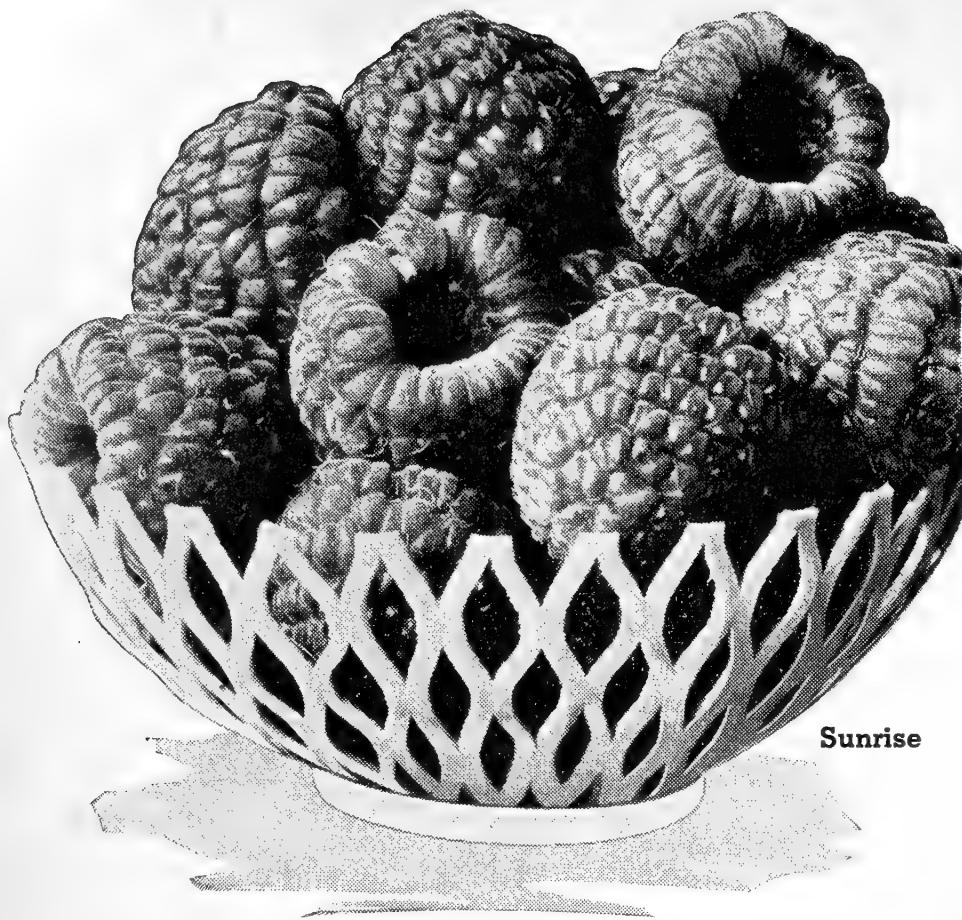
Blakemore

Blakemore

(Early)

Blakemore is the result of a cross by Government Plant Breeders on the Premier (one of our best northern berries) and the Missionary (a leading berry of the South). It certainly has good blood in it. No guesswork about Blakemore. Breeding counts. Blakemore shows it. Berries light attractive red, very firm, medium to large, very uniform in shape and size. Plants hardy, numerous, and do their best on the heavier soils. We supply yellow-free plants.

PRICE: 25 plants, 85c; 50 for \$1.35; 100 for \$2.65; 200 for \$4.00; 300 for \$5.00; 500 for \$6.00; 1000 for \$11.00.



Red Sunrise

Earliest of All Reds

Sunrise ripens earliest of all Red Raspberries—a week ahead of Chief and two weeks ahead of Latham. Also fruits longer—still yielding its berries after other reds have finished.

Bears During Summer

From plants set last spring, we picked Sunrise berries off and on all during the summer. The 2-year transplants bore a lot of berries. We have transplants for you, listed below.

Berries Best of All

You will like Sunrise berries. They have a new rich tangy flavor, a rich red color, which doesn't fade in cooking or freezing. It's an all-outstanding Red Raspberry that will please you in every way. And berries DON'T crumble.

Sunrise Prices

(1-year No. 1)

12 plants	\$2.25
25 plants	3.85
50 plants	6.65
100 plants	11.25
200 plants	21.85

A Special for You

2-Year Red Sunrise Transplants

Saves You a Whole Year

We offer you Sunrise Red Raspberries that we have transplanted and grown another year for you—2-year plants instead of 1-year. Note difference in picture at right. You get all that extra large growth, branched tops, lots of fruit buds, and a 2-year, heavy root system. Saves you a whole year's time, and the risk of losing some plants if you were to set 1-year plants. We take that risk in growing the plants here at our nursery another year for you, and send you the 2-year transplants. You also save a whole year by getting berries a year sooner.

Get Berries This Summer

The branches on our 2-year Red Sunrise Transplants have lots of fruiting buds on them (see picture at right) which will develop into berries for you this coming summer when the plants are given proper care. Although Sunrise isn't supposed to bear during the late summer and fall, it does with us and we picked berries all late summer and fall from plants set in the spring.

SUNRISE PRICES 2-Yr. Transplants

Price for 2-yr. Sunrise Transplants: 6 plants, \$2.10; 12 for \$3.30; 25 for \$6.25; 50 for \$11.00; 100 for \$18.65.

LATHAM

(Midseason to Late)

Leading Commercial Red Raspberry

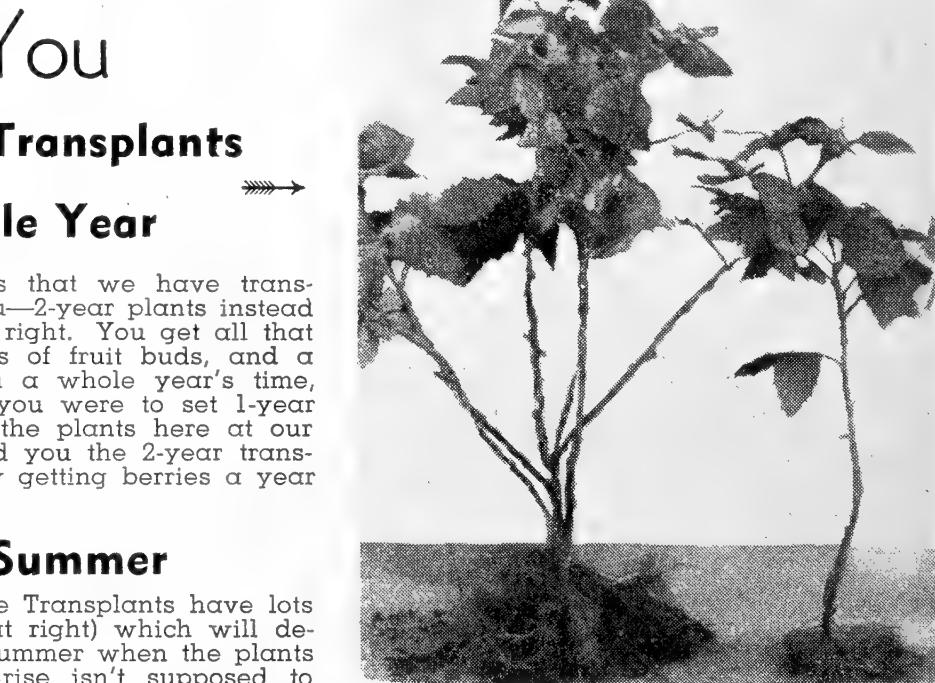
Hardy, Productive, Reliable

Hardy, thrifty grower, very productive; berries large, well colored, good flavor. It's a commercial leader. Outyields other older varieties. Sure to please you.

PRICES

(1-yr. No. 1)

12 plants, \$1.85; 25 for \$3.25; 50 for \$5.35; 100 for \$10.00; 200 for \$19.50.



Plant on right is a 2-yr. Sunrise. One at left a 2-yr. Transplant. What a difference. Note size of root system, branches and fruit buds on the top.



The New **Morrison** **BLACK RASPBERRY**

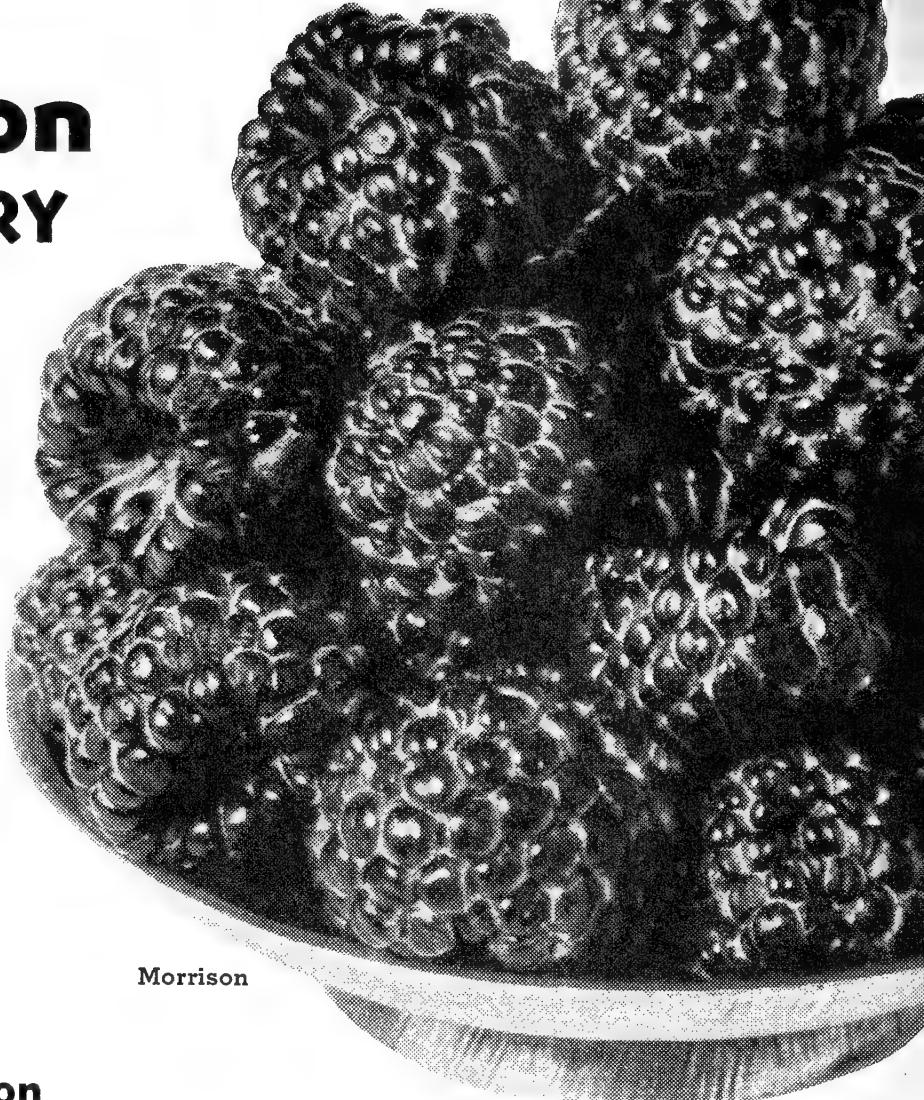
Profitable — Productive Largest Berries

Morrison berries are very large, don't crumble, aren't seedy, have pleasing rich lasting flavor, glossy black color. Best for table and home uses, and brings "tops" in markets. This new variety has the highest praises from all who have fruited it, and growers are setting it for their leading Black Raspberry.

Here's Where Morrison Leads

1. Largest berries.
2. Firm—don't crumble.
3. Meaty berries—not seedy.
4. More quarts per bush than other varieties —big yields.
5. Bushes large, hardy, thrifty.
6. Canes strong—don't break over.
7. Profitable—more money per bush, per acre.

Morrison Prices (1-yr. No. 1): 6 plants, \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 25 for \$3.25; 50 for \$5.85; 100 for \$9.50; 200 for \$17.00; 500 for \$36.50; 1000 for \$67.50.



Morrison 2-Year Transplants



When you buy Keith's 2-yr. Morrison Transplants you get Black Raspberry plants that are ready to bear. The 1-year plants were set out last spring and grew into bushy transplants which we are offering you. By setting these 2-yr. transplants you (1) eliminate the risk one takes in setting 1-year plants; (2) save a whole year's time; (3) save labor and expense; (4) get berries a year sooner; (5) don't have to wait a year to get started in Black Raspberries.

PRICES 2-YEAR MORRISON TRANSPLANTS

3 plants	\$ 1.35
6 for	2.35
12 for	3.85
25 for	6.35
50 for	11.35
100 for	18.85
200 for	35.00
500 for	65.00
1000 for	120.00

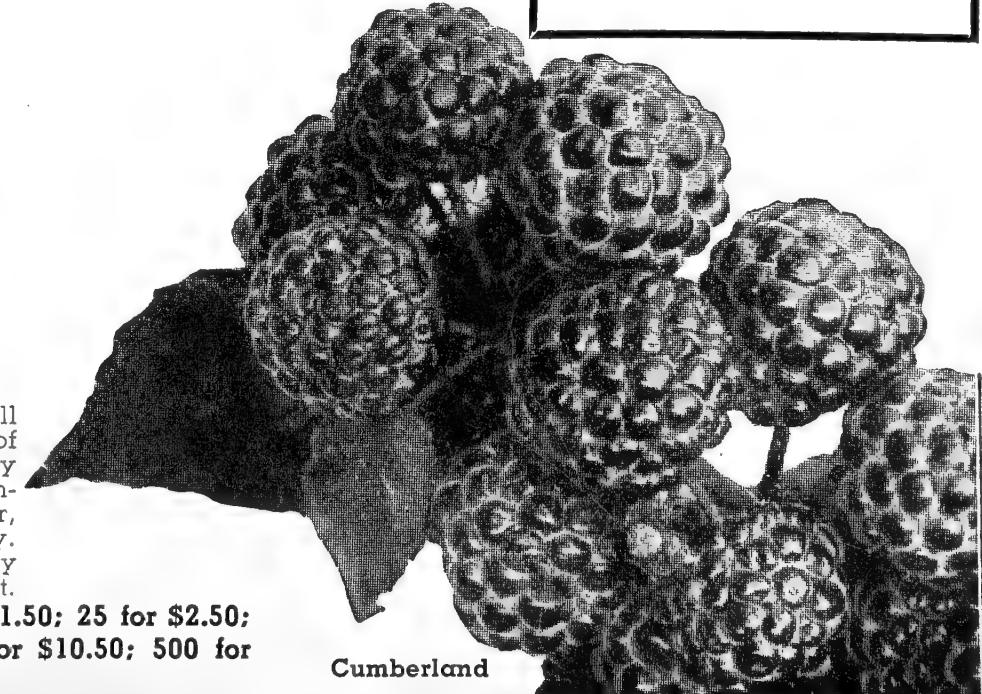


Cumberland

THE OLD RELIABLE BLACK RASPBERRY

One of the oldest varieties and still much in demand. Makes up most of the commercial fields today. Very productive under garden or field conditions. Berries have a fine flavor, medium to large in size, firm, fleshy. We are sure you know this variety for it's so common. One of the best.

Prices (1-yr. No. 1 plants): 12 for \$1.50; 25 for \$2.50; 50 for \$4.00; 100 for \$6.75; 200 for \$10.50; 500 for \$23.50; 1000 for \$43.00.





Mary Washington Asparagus

ASPARAGUS PRICES

	1-yr.	2-yr.
25	\$1.75	\$2.50
50	2.75	4.00
100	4.50	7.00
200	6.00	
500	12.00	
1000	22.50	

RHUBARB PRICES

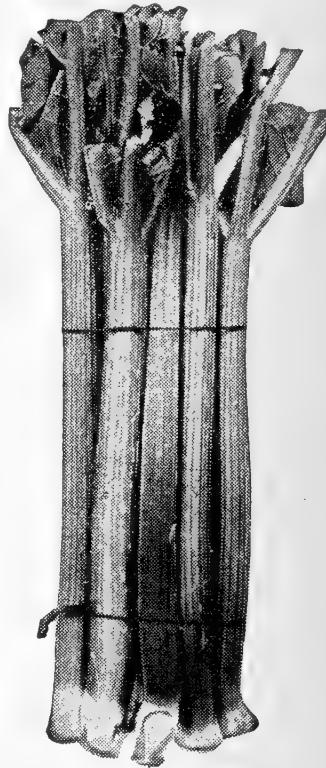
	1-yr.	Extra Large
6	\$1.00	\$1.75
12	1.50	2.50
25	2.25	3.50
50	4.50	5.25
100	6.00	7.50

ASPARAGUS — \$1,000 per Acre

Grow Asparagus and harvest as much as \$1000 per acre. It's an early spring cash crop, bringing money in early spring. One planting lasts a lifetime. We list the Mary Washington, a thrifty, thick grower with long, heavy, tender stalks. An excellent variety for home or field uses. **Prices below.**

RHUBARB

Everybody likes Rhubarb sauce and pies and the Rhubarb is so easily grown. It takes the place of fruit on the family table at a time when fruit is costly. The Victoria variety we are offering this season has real red stalks, the kind that make those attractive pies and sauce. We have clump plants for you this year—will supply cutting stalks second year. **Prices below.**



Victoria Rhubarb

PLANTING INSTRUCTIONS

Asparagus: Dig trench 12 inches deep, 16 inches wide in well drained location. Fill trench half full with top soil mixed one-third with rich compost or well-rotted manure. Pack well, then spread roots out flat on this flat surface and cover them with 3 inches of the soil mixture. As the Asparagus tops (shoots) come up fill in the remainder of the trench. Space roots (plants) 12 to 16 inches apart in trench. For winter mulch, cover the bed with compost, barnyard manure, or chicken manure, to be raked off in early spring.

Rhubarb: Follow same instructions as for Asparagus except set plants 24 inches apart and not so deep.



Makes a Beautiful Flowering Shrub in Spring

A Two-Way Bush

Hansen's New Improved Bush Cherry is a two-way bush: (1) a beautiful, attractive flowering bush in the spring; (2) a useful, productive bush in the late summer, loaded with useful black Cherries.

Blooming Size Bushes

This year Keith offers you flowering and fruiting size bushes, two and three years old. Why wait a year or more to enjoy the beautiful, white flowers and the useful black Cherries of this Bush Cherry? Set Keith's 2- and 3-year bushes and you will have flowers and Cherries this coming spring and summer.

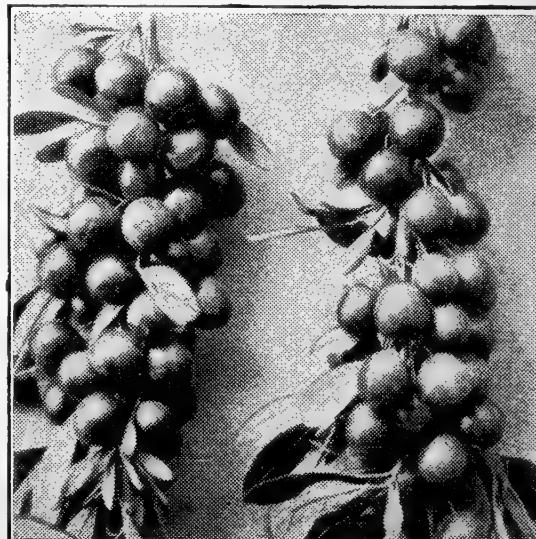
Prices—All Blooming and Fruiting Size:

2-year bushes	Each \$0.75; 3 for \$2.10; 5 for \$3.25
3-year bushes	Each \$1.25; 3 for \$3.00; 5 for \$4.50

BLACK CHERRIES from BUSHES

Hansen's New Improved BUSH CHERRY

Easy to grow, hardy, always produces. Can be used as a hedge, planted alone, or among other shrubs. Beautiful when in bloom. Yields lots of black, Plum-shaped Cherries. Delicious for pies, jams, etc., like tree Cherries. Set about 3 feet apart. Keep pruned like shrubs.



Branches Loaded With Black Cherries. Hansen's Bush Black Cherries are Useful for Pies, Jellies, etc.

New Grape Fredonia

- Early
- Productive

A new Grape produced by the N. Y. Experimental Station. At last we have a real good early blue-black Grape. With its production, vigor, quality and beauty, Fredonia is replacing all other blue Grapes.

Fredonia is a brand new leader in the "Grape Family," yet one that has been tested and fruited to prove it is a remarkable variety.

- 1—From 7 to 10 days earlier than Concord.
- 2—Productive. In many tests out-yielding the Concord.
- 3—Begins to fruit second summer.
- 4—Hardy, doesn't winter-kill.
- 5—Bunches very compact and attractive.
- 6—Has a sweet pleasing flavor.
- 7—Brings top prices in markets and stores.

BEST FOR HOME USE

Its sweet, delicious flavor makes it the best for table use, and for making jelly, grape juice, pies. It is ahead of many of the Grapes suggested for home use. We have fruited Fredonia for four years and have seen it fruiting for six years and know it to be a very good and profitable variety. Its earliness, its attractiveness and its flavor makes it a winner with everyone.

Sells for twice the price of other blue Grapes.

Brought highest prices of any blue Grape on Benton Harbor Fruit Market.

They are simply GRAND.

FREDONIA PRICES

	Each	3	10	25	50	100
1-Year, No. 1	\$0.35	\$1.00	\$3.00	\$ 7.00	\$10.50	\$17.50
2-Year, No. 1 .....	.50	1.35	4.75	8.00	20.00	22.50
2-Year, Extra large .....	.75	2.00	5.00			

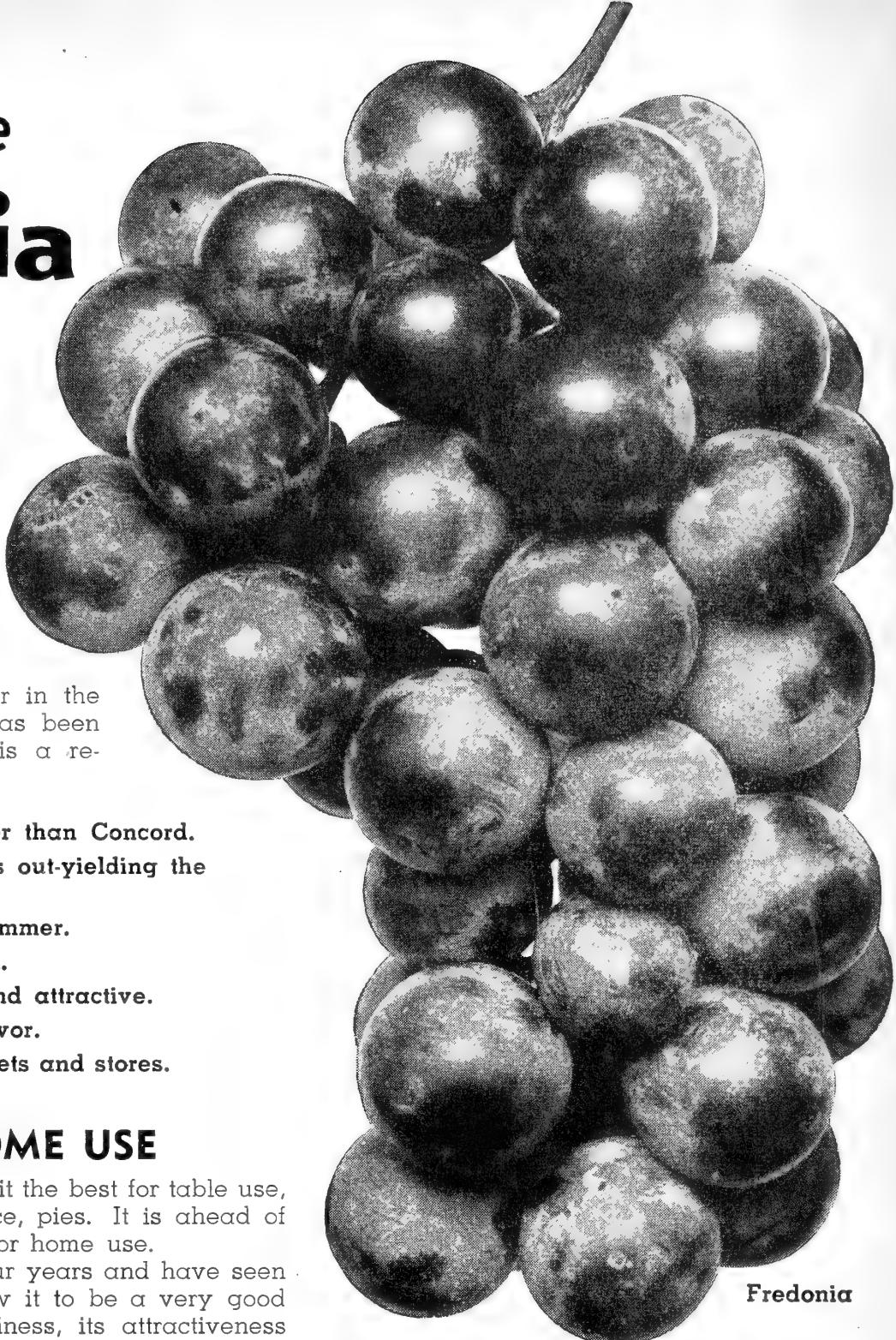
(Write for prices on larger quantities.)

NIAGARA (White.) This is the "Old Reliable" white Grape, with those large, juicy, sweet berries that satisfy your Grape wants. Ideal for "white" Grape juice, jellies, jams, and for eating fresh from the vines. Bunches very compact, large, heavy. Sure to bear every year. See prices below.

PRICES:

	Each	3	5	10	25	50	100
Concord, 2-Year, No. 1	\$0.35	\$1.00	\$1.45	\$2.70	\$5.00	\$ 9.00	\$15.00
Niagara, 2-Year, No. 1 .....	.35	1.00	1.50	2.90	6.00	10.00	18.50

(Write for prices on larger quantities.)



Fredonia

SPECIAL GRAPE OFFER

Here's your opportunity to get an ideal Grape Arbor for home uses. 3 different kinds, 3 different flavors, 3 different seasons.

One each Concord, Fredonia, Niagara, all 2-year.

SPECIAL PRICE \$1.00
TWO OFFERS FOR \$1.90.

CONCORD (Blue.) Here's another old standby. Very hardy, good grower, productive every year. The leading commercial variety. However, the Fredonia is becoming as popular, but it is an early Grape, and out of the way by the time the Concord ripens. See prices below.

Keith's NEW Chrysanthemum GOLDBANK

Deep Golden Yellow.
Low, Bushy Growth.
Blooms in 70 Days.

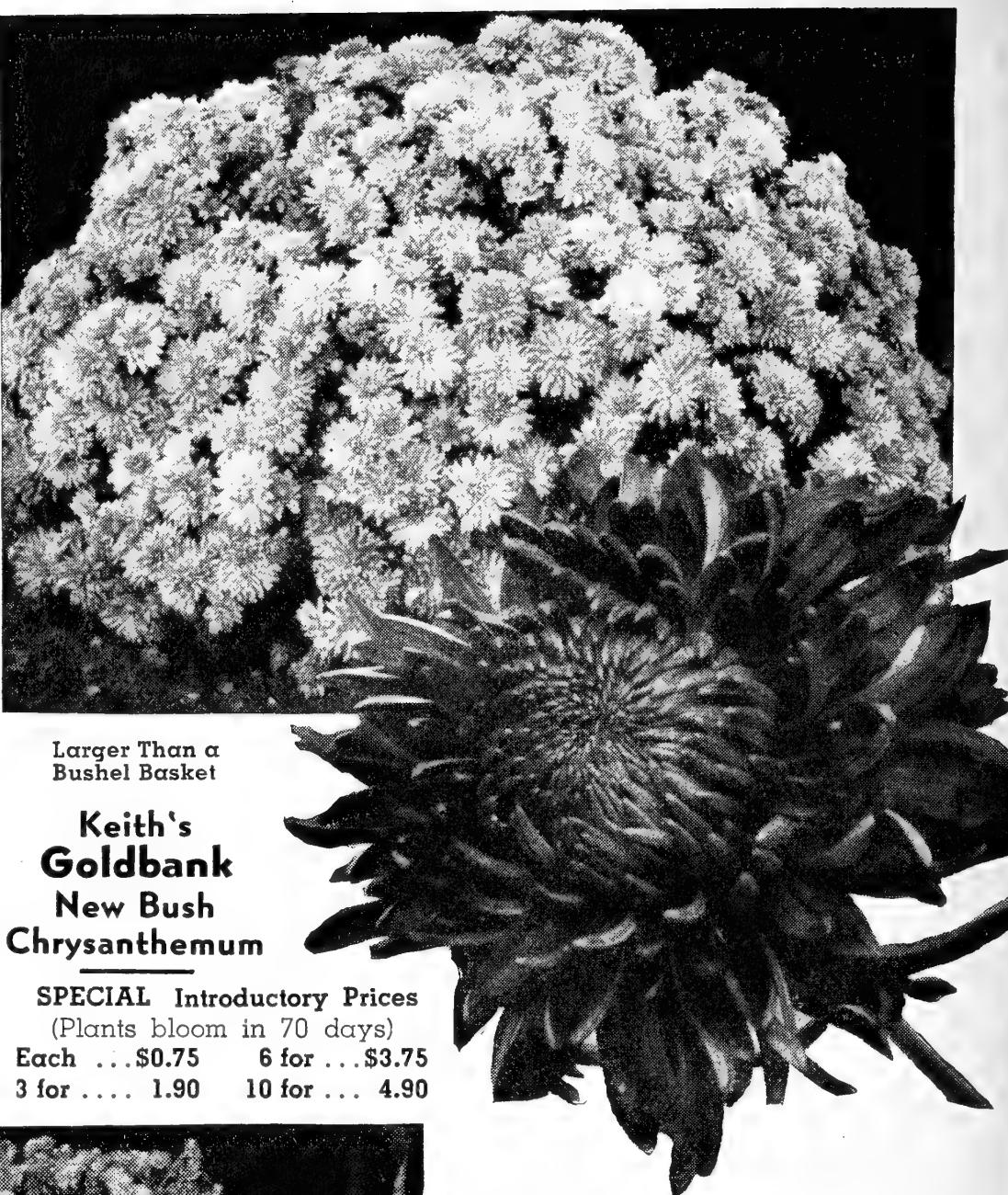
This new "Mum" was developed and is grown exclusively by Keith. It is from Korean stock, selected from among 1500 other Korean seedlings for its valuable deep golden yellow color; its hardiness, and its long blooming period (10 weeks). Its growth and blooming habits are like Keith's Ameliamums. It's a true "cushion type."

Color. Deep golden yellow color shading to a deeper red-orange in the center. Very lasting color. Opening buds have a reddish orange tinge resembling rosebuds.

Flowers. Very double to semi-double with slightly curved petals. Very lasting. Over 2 inches across.

Blooming Period. Begins in late August and continues for 12 weeks, long after freezing weather in November. We had plenty of Goldbank blooms after Thanksgiving this year.

Bush Growth. Goldbank has a very bushy, round, "ball-like," dense growth like the "cushion mums" or our Ameliamums. 24 inches tall. Many bushes can't be covered with a bushel basket. Very hardy, doesn't winter-kill. Goldbank is an outstanding low-growing, bushy "mum."



Larger Than a
Bushel Basket

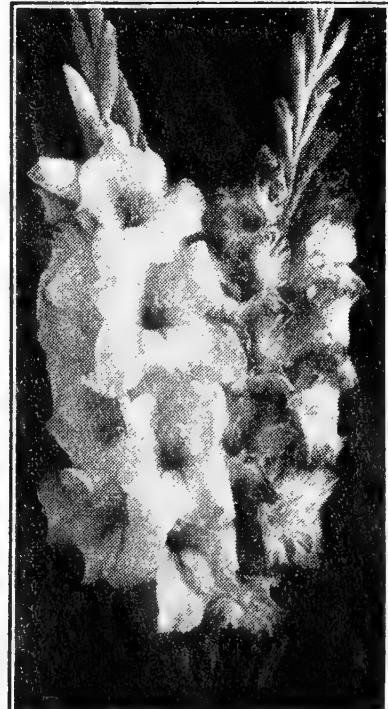
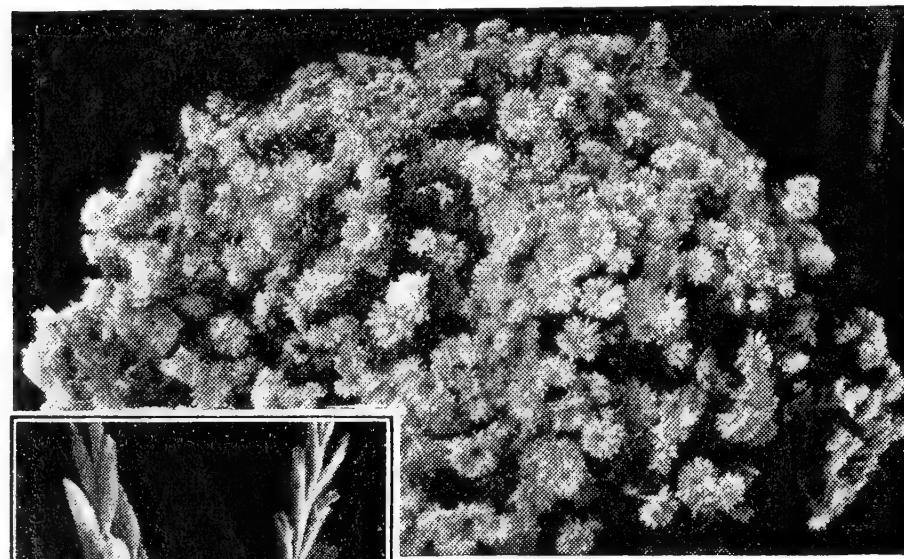
Keith's Goldbank New Bush Chrysanthemum

SPECIAL Introductory Prices

(Plants bloom in 70 days)

Each ... \$0.75 6 for ... \$3.75

3 for 1.90 10 for ... 4.90



Keith's Ameliamums.
Note the Masses of Blooms.

Giant Gladiolus Collection

Many Kinds — Many Colors

Made up of real beauties, not "every-old-kind" so often found in "collections." Showy, large-flowered, newer kinds selected for you when "Glads" were in bloom. The kind you will call your friends in to see. Made up of prize winners that sold for \$1.00 per bulb when introduced.

100 BULBS, 10 Different Kinds, ONLY \$6.50.
Postage as per 100 Strawberry plants. If your space can use only half this collection, send \$3.50 for 50 bulbs.

**100 BULBS
(Extra Large) Only \$6.50**

SPECIAL OFFER

Keith's Ameliamums
bloom all late summer
and fall. Four
colors: Pink, Bronze,
Yellow, and Red.

**3 plants each of 4
colors—12 plants
in all—for ONLY
\$4.00**
(Add 12c for postage)

Please Use This ORDER BLANK When Ordering

Keith Plant Nursery, Sawyer, Mich.

YOUR NAME
(Print or Write Your Name Plainly to Avoid Delay)

POST OFFICE STATE

STREET..... ZONE..... R.F.D.....

SHIP BY SHIP ABOUT
(Express or Parcel Post)

EXPRESS OFFICE (If Different Than Post Office)

(Check Date to be Shipped)

..... April 1 to 15 May 1 to 7

..... April 16 to 22 May 8 to 15

..... April 23 to 30 After May 15

NOTE: Chrysanthemums shipped after May 8th.

We substitute unless instructed to the contrary, but never until the varieties ordered are exhausted; and in all cases, if so requested, we cheerfully refund money instead of substituting. If substituting is necessary we gladly give you the benefit of our knowledge of the different varieties.

**Shall We Substitute?
Write "Yes" or "No"**

To save time and delay and help us to fill your order correctly, please be sure your order is correct. Write letters on separate sheet. Don't write long, unnecessary letters.

Have you included **POSTAGE**, if order is to come by
Parcel Post?

Have you checked DATE you want plants shipped?
Note Date above in space allowed.

Cost of Plants, Etc.

Postage

Total Sent

TRUE-TO-NAME—While we use every precaution to have all plants, etc., true-to-name, we will not be responsible for any sum greater than the cost of the stock, should any prove otherwise than represented.

RATS and MICE Our Enemies

The "boys over there" got rid of the Japs. You can help get rid of the home enemies by feeding them this sure "Rat and Mouse Killer."

Help
Win
the
Peace



We farmers hear a lot about raising more food to help the peace. How about you helping save this food by killing off rats that eat and destroy so much of it? Rats destroy millions of dollars worth of food every year. Help stop this waste by feeding rats and mice this sure killer. Invest a few cents and do your part. **Price, enough for 200 rats, \$1.00.**

"Dogzoff"

Eliminates the Dog Pest
Keeps Dogs Away from Flowers,
Trees, etc.

85c



"DOGZOFF"

Dogs Don't Hang Around
Where You Put "Dogzoff"

"Dogzoff" protects your evergreens, shrubs, furniture, from dogs and cats; drives mice out of your house; keeps moles out of your lawn; prevents rabbits injury; keeps cats away from bird cages. Doesn't injure furniture, etc. **Price, 85c per pkg.**

Information for Customers

1.—**USE ORDER BLANK**, filling in all information.
2.—**ORDER EARLY**. Orders shipped as requested. First come, first served. To get plants shipped on requested date order early. You also get first choice of varieties, and benefit by our discounts.

3.—**SHIPPING SEASON** from late March until late May, depending on season. Also in fall after we have had cold enough weather to harden plants.

4.—**PLANTING SEASON**. Set plants early as you'd make early garden and from then on until after corn-planting time. (When oak leaves are about size of squirrel's ears.)

5.—**REMITTANCE**. Post Office Money Order or Express Money Orders are safer for you and most convenient for us. Send them when possible. But we gladly accept your check, Bank Drafts, etc. Letters containing Currency should be REGISTERED. C. O. D. shipments will be made if one-third is sent with order.

6.—**YOUR PROTECTION**. We guarantee safe arrival, but do not hold ourselves responsible for negligence or damage in transit. We replace orders to the extent of damage or loss if customer sends within five

days statement from Exp. Agent or Postmaster showing extent of same. Parcel Post shipments must be insured if loss is to be recovered. Raspberry and other cane plants travel at customer's risk ordered shipped after May 1st and strawberry plants after May 15th.

7.—**EXPRESS SHIPMENTS** now have a special cheaper rate for strawberry plants. This makes Express shipments cheaper than Parcel Post on most orders, and besides Express shipments are always insured against damage or loss. This costs extra by Parcel Post. By Express plants travel better as they are not in tight closed mail bags. They have plenty of ventilation and are not so subject to heating. We suggest, when possible, have your shipments come by Express.

8.—**PARCEL POST SHIPMENTS**. Small orders can be sent as cheap by Parcel Post, especially into States in Groups 1 and 2. Distant shipments are more expensive. Parcel Post shipments are not insured. This costs extra. The Parcel Post tables give postage to add. See bottom of page.

STATE GROUPS for Parcel Post

For your convenience in determining Parcel Post costs we make four groups of States as follows:

Group No. 1 includes Mich., Ohio, Ind., Ill., Wis.

Group No. 2 includes Ia., Mo., Pa., Minn., N. Y., Del., N. J., Va., Tenn., Ky., Md., D. C.

Group No. 3 includes N. and S. Dak., Nebr., Kans., Okla., Ark., Texas, Mont., Wyo., Colo., N. M., La., Miss., Ala., Ga., Fla., N. and S. Car., Me., N. H., Vt., Mass., R. I., Conn.

Group 4 includes Idaho, Utah, Nev., Ariz., Wash., Ore., Calif.

Note what group your State is in, then refer to Parcel Post Table below for postage to add if your shipment is to come by Parcel Post.

Recheck your order for mistakes in varieties, money sent, postage, etc.

Make your letters short and to the point. Long, rambling letters are always confusing, take up valuable time, and require more writing.

PLANTS REQUIRED PER ACRE

	Width of Row	Plants in Row	Plants Per Acre
Strawberries (field culture)	3 ft. 8 in.	18 in.	8,000
(garden culture)	3 ft.	18 in.	9,700
Evbr. Stbry. (field)	3 ft.	16 in.	11,000
Evbr. Stbry. (garden) ..	3 ft.	12 in.	14,500
Red Raspberries	6 ft.	3 ft.	2,400
Black Raspberries	7 ft.	3½ ft.	1,800
Grapes (light soil)	8 ft.	10 ft.	540

PARCEL POST TABLE

(Note—Should you send too much postage, plants will be added to balance)

To have Postage on Parcel Post shipments prepaid add to your order as follows:	States in Group No. 1	States in Group No. 2	States in Group No. 3	States in Group No. 4
Strawberry, 1-yr. Asparagus. For first 100 plants or less.....	12c	21c	31c	47c
For each additional 100 plants or less	8c	14c	24c	40c
Red Raspberry, 2-yr. Asparagus, 1-yr. Dewberry—100 plants or less	17c	28c	41c	65c
For each additional 100 plants or less	12c	21c	31c	60c
Black Raspberry, Blackberry, 1-yr. Grapes—50 plants or less	15c	23c	33c	52c
For each additional 50 plants or less	9c	14c	25c	47c
Shrubs, Roses, 2-yr., Grapes, 2-yr., transplants—25 plants or less	12c	21c	31c	47c
For each additional 25 plants or less	8c	14c	24c	40c

NEW Everbearer Streamliner

The Latest Introduction in the Everbearing Family

Streamliner is being offered for the first time this year. Plants were not available before. Not near enough to go around this year also. Get your order in early. First come first to get Streamliner plants.

Beautiful Big Berries

Berries are very large, round, firm, dark red clear through, flavor is really strawberry-sweet—delicious, delightful, unlike any berry you have tasted.

Three Crops Instead of One

Set Streamliner plants this spring and pick berries from July until snow falls, also next spring and next summer also—three crops instead of one.

Plants are scarce so order early to make sure you don't "come too late."

PRICES

12 plants, \$1.75; 25 for \$3.00;
50 for \$5.50; 100 for \$9.50; 200
for \$18.85.

Streamliner

Keith's Thornless Boysenberry A New Giant Truly Thornless Boysenberry

This New Boysenberry is the result of a cross between the Loganberry, the Blackberry, and the Raspberry, and has inherited the best qualities of each. And the berries are mammoth in size, many over 2 inches long.

This New Giant Boysenberry—

- 1—Is entirely thornless.
- 2—The berries are sweet, dark maroon-red, with an excellent, pleasing flavor.
- 3—It's as easily grown as Blackberries.
- 4—Very productive—mature plants produce around 10 quarts of berries.

(NOTE: For further information, etc., see the inclosed Colored Folder, also back page of this book for prices.)

**Keith's
Thornless
Boysen-
berry**
6 1-Year Plants
Only
\$1.50

(Postage same as
Black Raspberry.)

CULTURAL DIRECTIONS

Space rows 6 feet apart (field culture 8 feet). Set plants 6 feet apart in row (field culture 8 feet). Allow young canes to run on ground during summer, training in the row. In fall, as a precautionary protection in zero climates, cover the vines lightly with straw (hold in place with some soil). In the spring when buds begin to "shoot", remove the mulch and tie the canes to wires stretched over posts 3 feet above ground. Cut out old vines as soon as fruiting is over, remove and burn. Allow the oncoming young vines to run on ground and handle them in fall as mentioned above.

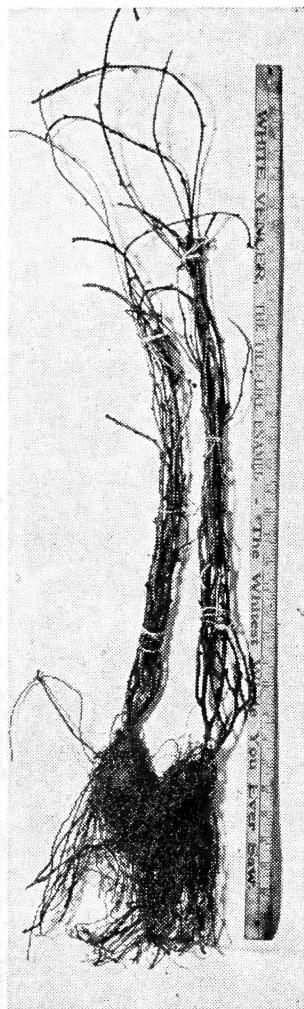
New! A Thornless Boysenberry

Absolutely No "Stickers"

Canes as Smooth as Grape Vines

NOW you can pick and handle Boysenberries without gloves. This

new discovery has revolutionized the growing of this luscious wine-red berry. The great drawback before was those vicious thorns. Now the berries can be picked and vines handled without gloves, for the canes and stems of Keith's Thornless Boysenberry plants are absolutely thornless—as smooth as grape vines.



TWO-YEAR PLANTS (Ready-to-Bear)

These are 2-year transplants, have been transplanted and grown in the nursery row another year for you. They save you at least a whole year and are more sure to grow than 1-year plants.

Prices

2-YEAR TRANSPLANTS:
Each 75c; 3 for \$1.75; 6 for \$3.00; 12 for \$5.40; 25 for \$9.25; 50 for \$12.50; 100 for \$19.50; 200 for \$30.00.

1-YEAR No. 1 PLANTS
3 for 85c; 6 for \$1.50; 12 for \$2.25; 25 for \$4.25; 50 for \$6.50; 100 for \$11.75; 200 for \$21.75; 500 for \$40.00; 1000 for \$75.00.

(Postage on Boysenberry same as for Raspberry)



Berries Large as Plums

The biggest berry ever developed. 1 1/2 inches long, 1 inch wide—often larger. Large as Plums, plump, long, thick, 50 fill a quart. A cross between the Loganberry, Raspberry and Blackberry. They are a rare berry. And they are as easily grown as Raspberries.

Berries Unequaled for Home Uses

Berries have that "Raspberry-Blackberry" flavor, unlike anything you have ever tasted, and they make delicious pies, jams, etc., and are delicious canned. One taste of these wonderful berries and you will never be without them for pies, etc., or fresh berries. And they are as easily grown as Blackberries.

Bears Early

Keith's Thornless Boysenberry plants set this spring will grow vines that will bear big, beautiful, tasty berries for you next summer. Don't have to wait two or three years for berries. They fruit quick.

Ripens Early

Keith's Thornless Boysenberry begins to ripen its big, beautiful wine colored berries ten days to two weeks ahead of the common Boysenberry. This gives you berries earlier than ever before. Some advantage.



For Color Picture and
More Details, See
Folder Enclosed.

For planting, see page 23

Here you see thornless Boysenberry canes tied up to and trained to wires stapled to the side of posts set 12 ft. in the row, a post to every two plants.